

# WEATHER FORECAST:

Tomorrow:

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# THE EVENING NEWS.

DEVOTED TO MAKING ADA A LARGER AND MORE PROGRESSIVE CITY

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At 3 p. m., 85 degrees.

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## IMPORTANT COUNCIL MEETING MONDAY NIGHT

The city fathers met in regular session Monday evening. Councilmen Timberlake, Bills, McFarland, Nettles, Barton, Lee, Sugg and Recorder Warren present. In absence of the Mayor, Recorder Warren presided. The minutes of last meeting were read and approved. A motion was carried that the committee on sewer system be allowed another week in the preparation of their report.

The first reading of an ordinance providing for the prohibition of dairies in the city was had.

Councilman B. A. Mason of the 1st ward, at this time offered his resignation to take effect immediately. On motion of Barton and seconded by McFarland, Mr. Mason's resignation was unanimously accepted. On motion of Timberlake, the election of a successor to Mr. Mason was had. W. H. Ebey was nominated by Nettles and unanimously elected.

The reports of the city treasurer, finance committee, city marshal and street commissioner were presented and accepted.

A motion by Barton prevailed that the street commissioner be urged to collect street tax from all persons of lawful age unless certificates from the board of health be furnished stating that party is physically unable to perform manual labor, also paupers affidavit in compliance with Mansfield's digest prescribing oath for persons preceding without cost.

The following bills were allowed:

To equalization board,	
S. M. Torbett,	\$25 00
C. P. Little,	25 00
T. J. Chambliss,	25 00
John Duemon,	5 16
Dascomb-Daniels Lumber Co.,	4 50
Pittsburg Meter Co.,	1 21
Guelock Packing Co.,	6 10
M. K. & T. Ry. Co.,	22 00
B. C. King,	37 45

The council adjourned to meet at 5 p. m. today for the purpose of considering the resignation of L. L. Johnson, superintendent of waterworks.

### LAND LEASES.

#### Inherited Lands of Indians Subjected to New Leasing Arrangements.

Muskogee, I. T., July 16.—The new regulations under which inherited lands in the five civilized tribes can be sold and the land of full bloods leased have been received by Indian Inspector J. George Wright.

There is intense interest in these regulations because it is estimated that it will make one-fourth of the allotted lands in the Indian Territory saleable and taxable.

There is no change in the manner of selling lands from the former method with the exception that the application for sale must be made by the identified heirs of the deceased allottee and the land listed for sale must be advertised in a newspaper in the nation in which the land lies. The lease provisions that have been effective in the Creek and Cherokee nations on mineral, oil and gas lands are made effective over all the other nations the Curtis act placed restrictions on all full blood lands and provided that the homestead of such Indians should neither be sold nor leased.

The new regulations make a provision that where it is shown that an allottee is unable to develop his homestead on account of infirmity or other cause he may lease the same for a period of 3 years for grazing purposes and for five years agricultural purposes, all leases to be approved by the secretary of interior, after the agent has been shown proof of the disability of the Indian to cultivate his own land profitably.

This regulation applies to all the nations but does not effect any valid existing leases.

A great deal of the homestead land in the territory is under lease.

We guarantee our Cupid flour. No. 17. Walsh. 95-tf

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## FRANCIS COMMERCIAL CLUB TELEGRAPH THE PRESIDENT

Francis, I. T., July 17.—The car of wheat in which the dead body of Harry Preister of Tulsa was found has been closely watched by the citizens and Commercial Club of this place. Up to Saturday no attempt was made by the railroad company to ship the wheat to its destination. The claim agent received instructions to dispose of the damaged wheat for seed wheat and forward the remainder of the load to its destination.

On Saturday morning it was noticed that the wheat was being transferred to another car and the Commercial club began to take steps to prevent its going forward and being unloaded upon the public, who knew nothing about the tragedy in the car.

When the corpse was found it was discovered by the blood that had percolated through the wheat and leaked out of the bottom of the car on the trucks and gearing, and the wheat, when examined, showed considerable damage from the blood and decayed body of the child.

The Commercial club, having no way of taking hold of the matter, sent the following telegram to President Roosevelt:

Francis, I. T., July 14.—Theodore

Roosevelt, President of the United States, Washington, D. C.: We the Commercial Club of Francis, I. T., expressing the wish of the citizens generally, beg and pray that you condemn and order destroyed a certain car of wheat now in this yard and being transferred to a car for shipping to destination. Said car was discovered to contain a dead human body in a state of decomposition, and drippings from same had saturated a great portion of the wheat. Without your aid the wheat will be made into flour. Letter with full details will follow.

Respectfully,  
Commercial Club, Francis, I. T.,  
Per. J. O. McMinn, Secretary.

**Notice to Democrats.**  
Members of the Ada Democrat club are urged to meet at the Commissioner court room tonight at 8:30. Important business. J. P. Wood, President.

**Notice to Knights of Pythias.**  
Tuesday evening July 17th officers will be installed and other important business transacted. Refreshments served. All Sir Knights urged to be present.  
2 t d Committee.

## ROFF PREPARES FOR GREAT CONFEDERATE REUNION

At a meeting of the Commercial Club Confederate Veterans and citizens, held last Friday night, final arrangements were made for the Annual Reunion of the United Confederate Veterans of the Chickasaw nation at Roff next Thursday, Friday and Saturday, 19th, 20th and 21st.

The meeting was an enthusiastic one, every fellow getting his shoulder to the wheel. Liberal contributions were made, which will provide ample funds to make the three days one continual round of pleasure and insure that the affair will be a grand success.

The committee had done good work and since the meeting are still busier. Advertising committee has thoroughly covered the country with circulars and other literature and the people will be here; Committee on homes has done its duty and the visitors will be well cared for, the entertainment committee has completed a fine program which appears in the big ad on another page, and the thousands of people who attend will be royally entertained.

Such eloquent men as Hons. D. H. Linebaugh, C. A. Skeen, Claude Weaver, W. M. Franklin, Henry Furman, R. L. Williams, Drs. Fife and Saunders, are worth traveling many miles to hear. Fine music and big attractions, such as base ball, gun club shoot, camp-fire tales, etc., will keep things lively.

On Saturday, the last day, there will be a big barbecue for everybody. This will be among the leading territorial events for 1906.—Roff Eagle.

If you want the White Swan canned goods, phone us. M. L. Walsh. 95-tf

### LAND FOR A HOME.

#### Dr. D. M. Hailey Makes Magnificent Present to Daughters of Confederacy

At a meeting of the committees representing the Jeff-Lee Camp of the Veterans, the Memorial Association, the Stonewall Jackson Chapter and the Choctaw Chapter of the daughters of the Confederacy was held at McAlester, June 30, 1906.

Mrs. W. I. Culbertson, president of the Indian Territory division of the U. D. C., was formerly presented with ten acres of the ground and the buildings located thereon as a nucleus for the establishing of a confederate home for the Indian Territory. The presentation was made by Dr. D. M. Hailey in a nice little speech and a letter of transmittal was handed to the president.

**Notice Camp.**  
There will be a meeting of the Ada camp United Sons of Confederate Veterans, at the News building Wednesday evening at 6:30 o'clock for the purpose of opening membership rolls and to discuss the camps representation at the Brigade Reunion at Roff Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Jno. P. Crawford,  
Commandant.  
Chas. H. Little,  
Adjutant.

J. R. Chandler and Prof. Primm, of Francis, are in the city today attending the session of the county executive committee.



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## A Timely Suggestion

To Property Owners and Mortgagees:

Tornadoes and wind-storms have destroyed millions of dollars worth of property. In a few moments the savings of a lifetime disappear. Your property, or that held in trust by you, may at any time be similarly damaged or destroyed.

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## OVERDRAFTS

It is becoming well known by business men that overdrafts, whether large or small, are not approved by the comptroller of the currency. The large central banks allow overdrafts only in a very small way, and this, it matters not how small, is not approved by the powers that be. This unbusinesslike habit of overdrafts grew out of advancing on moving products, such as cotton, grain and fat stock on the move. The overdraft system is wrong and the man whose account is always overdrawn is the man who spends more money than he makes and will finally have no bank account.

**Ada National Bank.**

Capital and Surplus, \$63,500.

Ada, Ind. Ter

## B. Y. P. U. ENCAMPMENT AT SULPHUR JULY 17-25

The Indian Territory B. Y. P. U. will hold their first annual encampment at Sulphur July 17th to 25th.

The Oklahoma B. Y. P. U. is the invited guest and an amalgamation of the two Associations is sure to occur.

The city of Sulphur has donated a large plat of land, well watered and shaded to the B. Y. P. U.'s of the New State if they will hold their annual encampments at Sulphur.—The proposition is surely to be accepted. A large delegation from throughout Oklahoma is expected. W. C. Duncan and W. H. Braley were empowered to appoint as many delegates as would consent to go.

Try the new barber shop at the Harris. If you are not pleased your money is refunded. 94-tf

### THE WORLDS RICHEST MAN DEAD.

#### Alfred Beit of South Africa Claimed that Distinction.

London, July 16.—Alfred Beit, a South African financier and often called "the richest man in the world," died today.

He was born in Hamburg in 1853 and went to Africa when a youth. He was there when the diamonds were first discovered and became a diamond broker, later getting control of some of the best mines. Since that time he has become interested in nearly every large commercial enterprise in South Africa. He was never married.

Cupid flour, best on earth at Walsh's No. 17. 95-tf



THE ADA FIRE DEPARTMENT



## Ada Evening News

OTIS B. WEAVER, PUBLISHER  
M. D. STEINER, BUSINESS MGR.

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Advertising rates on application.

### STRANGE SAVAGE CUSTOM

Weird Tribal Ceremony of the Natives of the Anglo-Abyssinian Boundary.

Some remarkable tribal customs are reported by an expedition sent into the comparatively unknown countries between the Abyssinian capital and the northwest of Lake Rudolf, in the neighborhood of the Anglo-Abyssinian boundary.

While the expedition was fitting out at Maji, the Abyssinian post in the southwest, the local Shankalla king died. He was sewn up in a fresh hide bag in a sitting position and placed on the floor of his hut, which stood in a clearing in the forest, and from miles around his subjects came to the lying in state.

The ground of the clearing was of hard beaten clay. All round were thick rows of huge "gogo" palms, and on one side four spacious, well thatched huts and a curious mound, probably sacrificial. By the side of the huts thousands of cow bells, sweet in tone as those in a Swiss upland valley, were hung on rude trellises and swung backwards and forwards by bands of women under the direction of an old witch.

The hard, level flooring of the clearing shook under the feet of hundreds of naked warriors, chanting a wild song of death, now advancing in a rhythmic rush, now retreating and leaving two of their number in the open, who, with their 12-foot spears held horizontally just over their shoulders, the shafts quivering like a snake before it strikes, danced a wild war dance, keeping time to the chant of the chorus.

When the din grew louder the crowd surged round the dead king's hut, suddenly parted, and through the lane thus formed dashed a gleaming figure, adorned with a leopard skin, orange colored ostrich feathers, beads, and bands of copper and brass and ivory round his neck and arms.

Three times he rushed round the clearing, followed by the shouting, singing warriors, and then disappeared as quickly as he had come. The new king had been chosen.

### THE PILLAGER INDIANS.

Hereditary Home of a Tribe Who Trace Back Perhaps Twenty Centuries.

A long, deep, clear and very cold body of water called Brunside lake, north of Lake Superior near the Canadian boundary, contains, among over 100 other beautiful islands, a certain sunny islet that is of great interest to the archaeologist.

These islands and waters, writes Frank Abial Flower, in Records of the Past, constitute the hereditary home of the Pillager Indians, who are pagans. \* \* \* One of these islands (known as Flower Island) is, as it has been for generations, the seat of the Pillager kings. On it sleep, according to tribal tradition, over 50 successive Pillager rulers, the ancestors of the present chief or king, who, he says, must have reigned an average of 30 or 40 years each, as he himself has been chief for more than half a century.

Think of a dynasty extending over a period of perhaps 20 centuries! The more modern graves are carefully roofed with cedar bark, which, when kept dry and away from the earth, is almost imperishable. The very ancient graves have been essentially obliterated by the ravages of the elements. At the head of each of the traceable graves is carved the peculiar heraldic insignia of the king who sleeps beneath, and above him are placed receptacles for the mah-no-min (wild rice), fish, berries and other food which are brought annually by the related members of the tribe to appease, as they suppose, the hunger of the departed.

### Thrown Out.

"And you say you lost your position by the great earthquake in San Francisco?" inquired the kind lady.

"Yes, mum," replied Frayed Franklyn.

"What was your position?"  
"I wuz asleep in a barn at de time, mum."—Milwaukee Sentinel.

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### FRISCO SYSTEM TIME CARD.

Ada, Ind. Ter.

### EAST BOUND TRAINS.

No. 510 Meteor, 4:48 p. m.  
No. 512 Eastern Exp., 9:45 a. m.  
No. 542 Local Freight, 3:45 p. m.

### WEST BOUND TRAINS.

No. 509 Meteor, 8:58 a. m.  
No. 511 Texas Pass, 7:15 p. m.  
No. 541 Local Freight, 7:45 a. m.

Local freight trains carry passengers provided with permits. Ten per cent saved on the purchase of round trip tickets.  
I. McNair, Agent.

## REVEALS CHARACTER

PECULIARITIES OF SEX APPEAR IN FLAT-HUNTING.

Men Hate to Move When Once Settled—Women Expose Their Foibles in Making Selection.

"Here's where you have a chance to study human nature," says the superintendent of a Chicago apartment house, according to the Inter Ocean. "Why, I can tell as soon as I have gone over an apartment with a couple whether they live happily together."

"If they talk over the attractive corners and she tells where his reading lamp will go, and he says that is a nice corner for her tea table, they are pretty sure to be home folks."

"If he digs holes in the floor with his cane while she makes a quick survey of the rooms and orders repairs in a lifeless fashion, they are merely getting a shell of a home in which to hang the skeleton of their one-time domestic happiness."

"You learn to read women, too, in this business," he continues. "The woman who talks about the lovely flat she has and how she hates to leave it, but Henry is bound to come up town; who criticizes everything in the apartment and fairly sniffs the air for trouble, will make a nagging, fault finding tenant, and if I had my way I'd raise her rent."

"The woman who wears a stylish dress in the newest coloring and fabric, but whose shoes are run down at the heel, whose finger tops need manicuring and whose underskirts hang in tatters of embroidery below her skirts, is sure to be a sloppy housekeeper and ruin the fittings in the flat."

"References count for something, but not everything. A doubtful party always comes well armed with references, but when a woman and a man look at each other doubtfully and wonder whether they had best give the name of their uncle, or his employer, or their last landlord, I take heart and know they are not up to Chicago tricks."

"The bane of the apartment house superintendent is the Sunday rush. All through April we work early and late showing apartments on Sunday. On a pleasant Sunday we show perhaps 200 callers over apartments and rent perhaps two. On a rainy Monday we have three callers and rent two apartments. Rainy day flat hunters mean business."

"I do not believe any man would move if he had his own way. He would rather pay more rent, put in a gas stove if the steam heat is not all that it ought to be, sleep on a mattress stretched on the boards laid over the bathtub, if the flat is too small—anything rather than move. Moving has driven more than one well intentioned man to drink."

### GETTING CREW FOR WHALE.

Each Man Has to Be Rounded Up Times Without Number to Get Him Aboard.

In Harper's Magazine Clifford W. Ashley, the artist who recently made a trip in an old-fashioned whaler for the magazine, tells entertainingly of the difficulties of finally getting the crew together and aboard ship.

"Sunday morning, long before the church bells rung," says Mr. Ashley, "we were gathered in the darkened front of the store. I had stopped at the postoffice for my mail, and as I stepped out again into the bright sunshine of that August morning, a couple of sailors lumbered hastily by and lodged around the corner. As they were vanishing, one of the 'owners' appeared in the street, gazing up and down in a mystified manner, vainly seeking a glimpse of the runaways. When he saw me he hailed cheerfully. From the alley whence he had emerged, a series of derisive hoots followed him, then a wagon-load of seamen appeared, being trundled off to the river. Swaying and pitching as the cart jolted over the cobbles, they boisterously spoke each passerby, making the street hideous with their yells. Before I entered the store I saw them, one by one, dropping off over the tail-board, utterly oblivious of the protests of the unfortunate dry goods clerk who was held responsible for their delivery."

"The front shop was crowded and noisy, but the real hubbub was in a small back room. Here the sailors, howling and pounding, were locked up when caught, and held till the return of the wagon to take them off to the river. Word was received that the mate refused to go on board till he had partaken of his Sunday dinner. On various pretexts others sought to get off for a while longer—one had forgotten to bid his mother good-bye; another had left home without an overcoat. The clerks rushed frantically about. Each man had to be rounded up—not once, but half a dozen times."

### Diplomatic Subject.

Italy's king recently paid a visit to Vesuvius. On the occasion of a previous visit an Italian newspaper announced that "the eruption had the honor of being witnessed by his majesty." It was a German paper that once stated that a certain royal prince "was graciously pleased to be born yesterday." Equally courtierlike was an army officer in attendance on the king of Spain not long ago. The king asked him what was the time. The courtier fumbled for his watch, but could not find it, then respectfully replied: "Whatever time your majesty chooses."

## THE LAWN AND LAWN MOWER

How to Keep the Mower in Good Order—Better to Mow Twice Than Once a Week.

The lawn mower is generally much abused by the majority of those who use it. When nicely adjusted and in good working order it may be kept so by a hair's breadth turn of the adjusting screws or bolts and no one should be allowed to meddle with these parts unless he fully understands them. The blades of the lawn mower strike the cutting bar in such a manner as to be largely self-sharpening and no machine, if well oiled and adjusted, will need sharpening unless it is run into stones or other hard substances that may dull or bend the knives.

The ordinary machine oil used upon larger machines than the lawn mower, on wagons, etc., is too heavy for the lawn mower except in very hot weather and should be thinned with an equal amount of kerosene. No machine will keep in perfect working order for a great length of time without cleaning and the lawn mower which is run through so much dust and dirt should be taken apart once or twice every season, each part carefully cleaned and wiped and then freshly oiled. The machines with large wheels and ball bearings run more easily than many of the older patterns, but the latter, if kept in perfect order, will run with comparative ease and will do good service for many years.

When the lawn clippings are short, not over an inch in length, they will settle down among the grass stems and decay, but if they are too long or are wet they will bunch and in very warm weather will smother the grass stalks and roots under them. In most cases it will require less time and effort to mow twice a week and let the clippings drop on the ground and remain there than to cut but once a week and rake up the clippings, as must often be done.—Chicago Chronicle.

### TIMELY FLORAL NOTES.

The Season for Various Favorites and the Commoner Flowers Not to Be Despised.

Oriental poppies, with very large and imposing peony-like flowers, make a brave show in the garden from the end of May through the first weeks of June. These will bear transplanting if carefully handled.

Foxgloves, white, spotted and pale lilac, are well worth a place in any garden. In the hardy border, where they are best placed, it is well to plant them back of sweet williams or else with peonies. They blossom at about the same time and the tall, graceful spikes of foxgloves rising above and behind the others produce a beautiful effect. Canterbury bells, having much the same habit as foxgloves, are grown in the same fashion; they are white, pink, blue and purple. Both are biennials; that is, start from the seed one year and blossom and die the next. They are much more effective grown in clumps. Marigolds, both the double French and the double African, are apt to be treated with contempt during the reign of more delicate and beautiful summer flowers, but with what gratefulness we turn to them in October, when everything else is gone!

The new varieties of zinnias are by no means to be despised. They are fine in color, many new shades having been developed, are very double, and are fine for house decoration, the stems being long and stiff.

Ida D. Bennett says she has grown salvia splendens (scarlet sage) to a height of five feet, in a bed of marsh earth kept well supplied with water through a pipe. Salvia will do well in the hottest sun if well supplied with water.—Michigan Live Stock Journal.

### Saratoga Chips.

Wash and pare medium sized potatoes, slice very thin (1 use a slaw cutter for slicing), drop them into cold water as they are cut and let them remain there until they are very firm. Have a kettle on the stove about half full of lard. Lift potatoes out of the cold water and put into a clean, white cloth. Press them in this until they are quite dry; then drop them into the smoking hot lard. Let them fry a delicate brown. When done lift them out with a wire spoon. Sift salt over them as soon as they are taken out, while warm. To have them at their best, they should be used when first made. Damp weather will affect their crispness.

### Brown Bread.

One cup black molasses, one cup buttermilk, one cup water, one teaspoon each of salt, soda and baking powder, and one quart flour. The coarser the flour, the better. This will fill three one-pound baking powder cans, when done. But divide the mixture equally in the cans—they will be about one-half full, and raise to the top. Be sure to put lids on and bake one hour in a moderate oven.

### Peanut Butter.

Peanut butter is easily made at home by passing the roasted and shelled nuts several times through the finest knives of a patent food grinder, the oil in the nut being quite sufficient to make the butter creamy. Should more be needed, add a little pure olive oil. Salt to taste and pack in small jars.

### Insect Bites.

For stings or bites from any kind of insect apply dampened salt, bound tightly over the spot. It will relieve and usually cure very quickly.

## PRECOCIOUS SENILITY.

Valuable Lives Snuffed Out in Youth and Middle Age by Disease of Age.

Precocious senility, when marked and rapid, is so rare as to be mere academic interest, a pathologic curiosity, such as the recorded instance of children of six years dying with arteriosclerosis and other signs of extreme age, says American Medicine. Even the very uncommon, but a much larger number of milder cases have so long been noted as to have given rise to the axiom that a man is as old as his arteries. These cases deserve more thought than is given to them, not so much to discover cures as to prevent decay, and save to society so many valuable lives which are now snuffed out in the middle age by diseases of the senile. There has been much wild speculation on the subject, chiefly in lay journals, and due, no doubt, to some more or less sensational investigations of Metchnikoff on the causes of normal senility and the possibility of prolonging human life beyond the century mark. Yet it is a serious problem and we should know what is the stimulus which makes one organism go through all its life changes in 50 years, while another under apparently identical conditions lasts 30 years longer.

## COLD IS A MINOR FACTOR

In Pneumonia the Huddling Together of People Is More Important

Augustus Wadsworth declares that experience has shown cold to be a minor predisposing factor in the development of pneumonia. The huddling together of people in close quarters is of far more importance, says Medical Record.

The treatment of pneumonia in its present stage may be said to be either very easy or impossible. A careful prophylaxis against disturbances of the digestive tract is of the greatest importance. Many ways of attaining the same results present themselves and the choice in great measure rests with personal experience. The hope of definite results lies in the production of an efficient and specific antiserum.

It is known that poisonous substances are elaborated by the pneumococcus, but so far the production of an antitoxin corresponding to that used in diphtheria has not been obtained. Pneumonia, however, is the bacteremic disease and as yet in none of this type have satisfactory results been secured in relation to antisera. The hope of success nevertheless is gradually growing brighter.

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## LOCAL NEWS

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P. G. Lanham went to Ardmore today.

Miss Stella Blake is here from Denison, Tex.

Mr. Joe Sprague went to Oklahoma City Sunday.

Bob Cummings went to Roff and returned today.

Miss Callie Wardlow returned from Stonewall today.

Walsh handles the White Swan canned goods. Phone 17. 95-tf

Mr. Dortch Young made a flying trip to Roff this morning.

M. L. Walsh will furnish you with the White Swan brand. Phone 17. 95-tf

Satisfaction guaranteed or your whiskers back. Harris Hotel Barber shop. 94-tf

D. E. Price has gone to Oklahoma City on business and will be gone several days.

J. D. Looper and J. H. and J. S. Ray left today for a ten days stay in Portals, N. M.

LOST:—A pair of 7 inch side cutting plyers. Return to telephone office and get reward. 99-3t

W. H. Kilpatrick sends the News to his father A. H. Kilpatrick at Mt. Vernon, Texas.

There will be a meeting of the Ada Democrat club at the Commissioners court room tonight at 8:30.

Mrs. T. M. Coleman and daughter Miss Geraldine, of Ardmore, are the guests of Mrs. H. M. Furman.

Mrs. S. E. Chapman and Miss Alice Harris left today for a months visit in Sulphur Springs and other Texas points.

Mrs. Ruth Hutchenson, Mrs. H. M. Furman's mother accompanied by Master Henry Marshal Furman left today for Arlington, Texas.

Time and space forbid us giving a report of the revival service Monday evening but a full account of each service may be expected henceforth.

WANTED.—Two good hand ironers for ladies clothes, 12 1-2 cents per hour. Steady work. Apply at once. 98-2t Ada Steam Laundry Co.

Mrs. J. W. Dale and sons left for Livingston and other Texas points where they will visit for a few weeks, then will join her husband at Amorilla.

Mrs. S. T. Rippey and daughter, Miss Lulu, who have been the guests of Rev. T. L. Rippey and family for several days left today for Earlsboro.

Editor W. D. Cardwell of the Ada Democrat was honored by the executive committee of the Democracy of Oklahoma by being elected chairman of the speaker bureau.

Col Davenport once with the Ada postoffice, but now has a position as Railway mail clerk between Denison and Ft. Scott was mingling with friends in the city Monday evening.

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Levi Johnson to Adaline Blue, both of Stonewall.

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G. M. Stephenson to Maudie Sanders, both of Ada.

Den Dryden to Oattie McKnight, both of Mc Gee.

Edgar Lawson to Lura Dew, both of Ada.

J. T. Elkins to Vera Keltner, both of Stonewall.

## Roff Reunion Attendants.

The Confederate Veterans request all who will attend the Chickasaw Brigade Reunion at Roff beginning Thursday to join with them on the arrival at Roff for the march to Ada headquarters.

Miss Mina Vaden, the popular daughter of Col. J. W. Vaden of Roff will not serve as sponsor for the U. S. V. S's at the Brigade Reunion on account of the late death of her mother.

The Chickasaw sons deeply sympathize with Miss Vaden and her Honorable Father who is commandant of the Roff camp of Veterans.

## At Judge Galbraith's.

Saturday evening a large number of friends were greeted at the delightful home of Judge and Mr. C. A. Galbraith on 14th street, in honor of Prof. and Mrs. Buchanan of Norman. The guests were received on the lawn, after which the Judge began the operation of his moving picture apparatus and the guests were delightedly entertained for an hour with Stereopticon views of Hawaii Island scenes, at which place the Judge resided several years.

This feature of the evening's entertainment was both instructive and pleasant, a rare treat indeed to a social gathering.

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The several guests went away happier and wiser because of the splendid entertainment.



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## WAYS OF COOKING EGGS.

A Wide Variety of Savory Dishes May Be Made with Eggs as a Foundation.

In the spring when eggs are plentiful a great many are used upon the farm. At this time eggs are more appetizing than at any other season of the year. Attention is called to this fact in a recent issue of Farm and Fireside by Mary Foster Snyder, who gives some recipes for preparing eggs in various ways. We are sure that many of these suggestions will appeal to readers:

**Eggs en Fromage.**—Melt one tablespoonful of butter in a saucepan add one scant cupful of rich grated cheese, mixed with six slightly beaten eggs, and stir constantly until the mixture is smooth and creamy. Season to taste with salt and paprika, and turn out immediately on rounds of toast softened with hot milk and melted butter. Serve at once.

**Eggs with Dried Beef.**—Chop fine one-half of a cupful of dried beef, and put it in a stewpan with one cupful of stewed tomatoes, a few drops of onion juice, paprika and cinnamon to taste, and two tablespoonfuls of butter. Cook slowly for ten minutes, add two tablespoonfuls of grated cheese, and three well-beaten eggs. Stir until the mixture begins to thicken, then pour over hot buttered toast, and garnish with hard-boiled eggs cut in slices.

**Savory Eggs.**—Break five eggs into a bowl, add a pinch of salt and a little chopped thyme; beat them well together. Rub a small stewpan with a cut onion, melt in it two tablespoonfuls of butter, then pour in the eggs and stir constantly until cooked, about four minutes. Turn out on hot buttered toast or little pats of hot potatoes, and serve at once.

**Baked Eggs with Bread Crumbs.**—Butter individual baking dishes, and for each person to be served mix together two tablespoonfuls each of rich, thick cream and bread crumbs, half a teaspoonful of minced parsley, a few drops of onion juice, and salt and paprika to season. Put one-half of the allowance for each person in each baking dish, break an egg carefully over it, and cover with the remainder of the mixture. When all are ready set them in a quick oven and bake until the eggs are set.

**Poached Eggs a la Reine.**—Cover hot buttered toast, made slightly moist with cream, with fried mushrooms. Put a poached egg on the mushrooms, and pour over all a little cream sauce. Sprinkle grated cheeses over the top and place in the oven until the cheese browns. Garnish with olives.

**Egg Croquettes.**—Chop hard-boiled eggs very fine. For six eggs make a cream sauce from one tablespoonful of butter, two tablespoonfuls of flour, one cupful of milk, a little onion juice, and salt and pepper to season. Mix it with the chopped eggs, and set away to cool. When cold form into six croquettes, egg and bread crumb, place in a frying basket and fry in deep hot fat.

## SUGGESTIONS FOR HOUSEWIFE

An excellent idea is to connect a spring to the refrigerator door, thus keeping it always cold, as children are often negligent in this regard.

To clean gold jewelry with stones in it wash it in warm suds made with yellow soap with ten drops of sal volatile in them. You will find this makes the jewelry brilliant.

Okra is a vegetable that is not appreciated at the north as it deserves. The dwarf varieties do well and okra is an invaluable addition to stewed tomatoes and to soup, should a housewife find it insipid by itself.

When washing black stockings take care that fresh water be used, both for washing and rinsing, and thus avoid having the stockings covered with lint, which is sometimes the case when they are washed in the same water used for white clothes.

Light cotton dress goods hold their color better when washed in this way: Four quarts of boiled starch are made. Half of this is put into two pailfuls of soft warm water and the goods washed until clean. Add water to the remaining half of the starch and rinse. Dry and iron on the wrong side.

Here is a way to remove a grease spot, which answers excellently: First place a double thickness of blotting paper on an ironing board. Lay the material on this and sponge well with benzine. Now put two more thicknesses of blotting paper on top and iron with a moderately hot iron. Remember that benzine is inflammable, so don't do this near a fire or light, and see that your flatiron isn't at scorching heat.

To a tidy housewife a gravel walk is often an annoyance. Unless it is continually looked after it will get untidy and then it does look so forlorn. In France the practical natives have invented a preparation with which they freely water gravel paths and roads and thus save much work and many a backache. Here is the rule for it: Ten gallons of water, 20 pounds of lime, two pounds of flour of sulphur. Boil all together in an iron kettle. When cold pour off the clear part and use on the walks, being very careful not to get any of the mixture on grass or flower beds.—Chicago Daily News.

## Scott's Works.

Of all the modern writers Sir Walter Scott has the largest place in that gigantic work, the British Museum catalogue. Scott has a larger number of entries under the name than any other author save Shakespeare, who has two volumes devoted exclusively to him.

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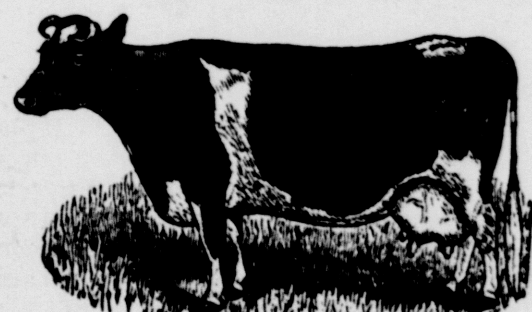
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## THE TOO, TOO SOLID FLESH

Nothing Helps More Than Daily Exercise Religiously Kept Up, Persistence and Success.

Solid flesh of many a weary woman may be truly reduced by daily practice. The waist and hips may be reduced at least three inches in as many months. As the waist muscles become stronger digestion is better and assimilated food goes to muscle instead of fat, thereby reducing the whole body.

Deep breathing also burns up fat. Place a pipestem in the mouth; breathe out through it until the lungs are completely empty, then inhale through the nostrils until the lungs are packed. If dizzy do not be alarmed, the lungs are surprised at the gratefully increased amount of air. They will get used to it.

Practice this exercise frequently, extremely frequently. It is simple and most excellent.

Stand in correct poise, weight on balls of feet, heels and knees together, abdomen drawn back, chest out, and head erect; while holding the breath bring the arms out sideways, and up over the head; clasp hands and stretch upward, gently at first. Relax arms and exhale. After a few days' practice the stretching may be vigorous, and the upper part of the body swayed from side to side. Repeat this movement until tired. It is valuable.

The practice is made more interesting by taking measurements at the beginning and at the end of each month's practice, and comparing the figures. While disrobed measure the waist, hips below the waist line five inches, and chest, both with lungs empty and with lungs full.

Also measure from the base of the neck to the waist line, both in front and in back, to see how much the chest line may be lengthened. The hips should not measure more than 12 inches more than the waist, or five inches more than the chest. The chest expansion probably will be about one inch. It should be at least three inches.

In addition to practicing the exercises, the student would do well to observe the following advice: For the first month avoid rich desserts, sweets and fattening vegetables; eat lean meats; fish, eggs, dry toast and fruits, except bananas. Exercise until perspiration is profuse. If these rules are faithfully followed for a month and the exercise practiced faithfully the pupil should be able to keep the body in good trim by exercise alone.

## ARTS OF THE TOILET.

To Remove Tan and Freckles—Keep Hands Soft and White—Good for a Muddy Skin.

To remove tan and freckles, nothing is better than a lotion composed of four ounces of witch hazel, four ounces of glycerine and the juice of two lemons, we are informed by a writer in *The Commoner*. Apply to the face, neck and hands after washing, and at night.

Permanent freckles are akin to moth patches, and require both internal and external treatment. The internal treatment consists of something that will act on the liver and at the same time stimulate the circulation of the blood. For this purpose, olive oil, taken in teaspoonful doses before breakfast and at bed time, is recommended as being excellent. The local treatment ordered by some specialists consists of drawing them to the surface and gradually peeling them off, or bleaching them out. The freckle spots lie under the lower layer of the skin, of which there are four. The outer is no thicker than tissue paper, and it is this skin which is raised in a blister. Thus it will be readily seen why freckles are so difficult to remove, as the skin is stained through and through. Nearly all skin bleaches contain mercury (corrosive sublimate), which is an active mineral poison if taken internally, therefore the use of it is not recommended for careless hands.

Another whitener for the hands is composed of lemon juice, three ounces, white wine vinegar three ounces, white brandy one-half pint. Corn meal rubbed over the hands after washing is excellent. It should be used before wiping the hands.

For muddy skin, a good rule to observe is, when the tongue is coated, or there are indications of a clogged internal condition, to stop eating, fasting a day or two at a time, or with only light food once a day. Instead of eating, drink copiously of pure water between meals. Several quarts a day is none too much to flood out the impurities. A sallow or pimply skin is a lazy skin. Exercise should be taken to induce perspiration.

Use almond meal in place of soap for washing the hands, and the skin will not get dry and wrinkled; the soap takes out the natural oil.

### Cotillion Favors.

The advantage of having paper favors for a club dance or a cotillion is that they can be made at home for absolutely nothing, and if several girls worked on them they would make their dance most effective with little outlay for ornamental trifles that are the principal parts of such affairs.

### A Good Skin Food.

Take half a cup of pure mutton tallow. Add half a cup of pure almond oil. Heat together and beat with an egg beater as they are cooling. Put in just enough perfume to scent. This is not very cheap, but it is very good.

### Simple Cosmetic.

Take a cucumber, split it lengthwise, apply it to the skin and let the juice dry.

## MORE APPARENT HEIGHT.

May Be Obtained by Deep Breathing and System of Exercise for Reducing Superfluous Fat.

"As soon as you learn to breathe deeply all the time you will grow taller. As soon as you get into this habit of pulling a breath right from the bottom of your abdomen, you will grow stronger. As soon as you have acquired this peculiarity you will grow thinner. It exercises the muscles of the abdomen so thoroughly that they grow supple and able to throw off their fat. It is a cure for nearly every ill there is."

Then come the bending motions, for it is part of suppleness that one can bend double and lay one's hand upon the floor. Of course one should not bend the knees. The idea is to bend without bending the knees and to lay the finger tips upon the carpet. This is the best of all known exercises for making the muscles limber.

The most important exercise upon growing taller is the pole exercise. The pole must be a long one, and about as thick as your wrist. While it does not have to bear your weight, it must be stout enough not to break when your strength is thrown upon it.

The exercises are simple. The first one is that of touching the ends of the pole. Reach out with your finger tips and try to reach the tips of the pole. Have the pole so long that you cannot quite reach the ends. Then keep on trying to touch them. It broadens the shoulders and gives the arms the exercise they need for the second motion.

"The second pole motion is the real one when it comes to being higher. The pole is set on end, and the game is to reach up as high as possible. Try to touch the top. Don't climb the pole, but simply reach up. Keep on reaching up and up for five minutes.

The way to do it is this: Take a deep, long breath; grasp the pole firmly in the middle; then travel up, hand over hand, until you go as high as you can. When you have reached your limit, make a mark, and begin over again. The highest mark will record your progress for that day. Next day try again. But don't keep on for more than five minutes at a time, for it is easy to injure your muscles in this manner.

## PIANOFORE FOR MEALS.

Affords Much More Protection Than a Mere Bib and How to Make the Little Apron.

These pinafores take the place of a bib, and are really more protection to the white pinafore and dress over which they are worn. Diaper, linen and crash are all suitable materials in which to make it. The edge is buttonholed round in scallops, a small



TAKES THE PLACE OF A BIB. star or flower being worked in each alternate scallop.

In the transfer papers there are many pretty edgings suitable for the purpose. The design may be worked in colored flax thread, mercerized cotton, or washing silk.

A band to fasten round the waist is attached to each side.

## AT A HOUSE WEDDING.

Arrangement of the Receiving Party. Usually No Special Form of Entertainment Provided.

At a house wedding the bride's mother should stand near the main entrance to the drawing room and receive the guests as they enter the room. The guests who wish to remove any wraps should be told where the dressing room is by the servant, who opens the front door. After removing their wraps they should at once descend to the drawing room, directs Elizabeth Biddle.

As a rule guests are not seated at a house wedding. The near relatives and intimate friends of the bridal couple should stand on either side of the room near the place where the marriage ceremony is to take place. If you are to have ushers they should escort the guests to their places in the room, taking care that the members of the family are near the bridal party.

After the ceremony the guests are expected to look at the presents, if they are displayed, and to partake of the refreshments in the dining-room. The bridal party should remain in the drawing-room until they have received the congratulations of all the guests, after which they may go to the dining-room.

The bride's father and mother should introduce their friends to the mother and father of the groom, but no special form of entertainment is expected.

### The Proper Card.

A woman's card has her street address, without town or state. If visiting friends in a distant city one may write the transient address in lower corner of card.

### For Freckles.

Use a weak lotion of lemon juice and water followed by an application of cold cream. Cucumber lotion is also a good thing to use.

## TABLE DECORATIONS.

Tall Vases Are No Longer Liked for Center Decoration—Some Pretty Flower Combinations.

Tall vases full of flowers are not used in the center of the dining table nowadays because they obstruct the view, and make conversation across the table almost impossible. The graceful baskets, with or without handle, which are brought in silver glass, china or even straw, make beautiful centerpieces. Purple and pale yellow make a cool and beautiful combination of colors. Lilac combined with huge bunches of very pale blue forget-me-nots make an odd but attractive decoration, and sweet peas of all shades with maiden-hair or asparagus ferns are always attractive.

At a dinner you should use lighted candles. Very beautiful shades are now made as follows: A design of flowers or of leaves is worked in beads the natural color of the flower or leaves. Each flower or leaf is then cut out and fastened on a little wire frame, so as to form a graceful design which entirely covers the frame; at the top is fastened a row of large cut glass beads of the principal shade of the flowers or leaves; and at the bottom is fastened a row of deep fringe made of small beads of the same color. Very pretty little shades are made of row after row of narrow gauze ribbon sewed on a piece of gauze the size and shape of the candle shade frame. Fruit is often served as a first course even at dinner instead of hors d'oeuvres. A very little soup should be put in each plate. Fish should be served next, then an entree. Two entrees may be served if you wish. Then the roast and vegetables. Then game and salad; and last of all, the dessert—which comprises ices, then fruit and bonbons. Coffee ends the repast.

## CHILDREN'S CLOTHES.

Simple Dresses Both for Afternoon and Morning—Are Preferred Ones of the Day.

Common sense has entered the domain of baby's outfit and for summer every well-dressed child will have a quantity of dresses and aprons which will not need a fine laundress to do them justice. Both afternoon and morning dresses are severely plain, but the simplicity of cut is relieved by the pretty material and the care with which these small garments are fashioned. Smocking, a pretty honeycomb effect, is much in vogue now for children's clothes. As smocking is delightful fancy work for odd moments, many of baby's dresses are made by mamma in the long afternoons on the hotel piazza.

Next in importance to the smocked novelties are the Russian effects, both for boys and girls. Some of these Russian suits seems rather extraordinary to the conservative taste and the genuine Russian dress, with its patch of colored material under the arm, can only be worn by the picturesque child, and looks out of place on the up-to-date modern youngster. The Russian one-piece dress is very practical however, as it is easily laundered and can be made up of almost any material. Elaborated with fantastic needlework, pretty stripes and bands of different colors, it is charming.

A little girl's Russian dress shows wide tucks, falling from the shoulder to the hem of the garment. The dress is shaped slightly to the figure in the side seams, so that it does not look too bunched or full.

A correct Russian dress for girls has no belt, but the addition of a belt usually gives a smarter look to the frock.

## THE PALE GRAY NOTE.

The Parisians Are Making Use of Some Very Soft Harmonies of Tone This Season.

The present feeling in Paris for touches of pale gray is prettily carried out in a charming pale, dull, melon-green afternoon gown, which is much self-manipulated and gathered, and trimmed with a quaint garniture and pipings of pale gray velvours, very sparingly and lightly used, so as not to create a heavy effect. Worn with a pale gray, very fine chip hat, with a green veil draping it, and a cluster of green and gray velvet clematis Jackmanni, this makes a delightful dress. It is accompanied by a shaped pelerine of green taffetas mousseline, exactly matching in tone, also decorated with gray velvet in many narrow rows, and fashioned to resemble those worn in the forties.

Another very delightful frock, with the same gray touch, is a very pale buff silk muslin, embroidered in old-world style with gray silk, and owning a little gray silk waistcoat and stock collar.

### Room Cool and Fragrant.

A woman who has traveled in India suggests that one of the daintiest ways of keeping a room cool in summer is by hanging curtains of an eastern grass which is now procurable here in the windows. These curtains are drenched in water. The air passing through the moist grass is not only cooled but also slightly perfumed with an oriental odor which is peculiarly refreshing. In lieu of the grass a piece of flannel dipped and wrung out of cold water may be hung over the window screen.

### A Second Call.

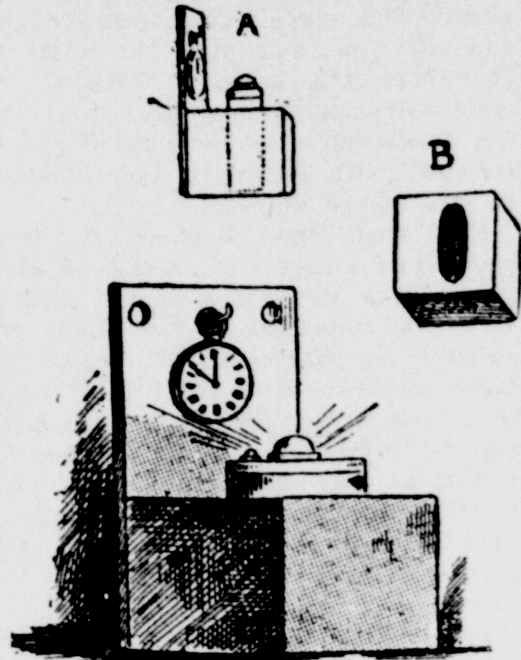
There is no fixed rule for the length of time that should elapse before paying a call for the second time, after the first one has been returned. Often an invitation of some kind, to tea, for instance, is given by the person who called first.

## CONVENIENT WATCH STAND

One of the Little Electric Lamps Forms Part of the Outfit—A Cigar Box the Stand.

This useful contrivance is easily made with the aid of a small wooden box and one of those little electric lamps that can now be obtained in many shops for a small sum. It is intended for use at night, and should be placed at some convenient spot within reach of the bedside, or hung on the wall by the side of the bed.

Plenty of material for its construction will be found in an ordinary cigar-box, which should be cut down to the required size. The lid should then be nailed down, and a hole made in it to receive the lamp. Fig. A



EASILY MADE.

shows a side view, and B is the box tilted forward and showing the space into which the lamp is slipped. At the back a piece of wood is firmly glued on, and in this two little holes are made for nails to go through when it is required for hanging on the wall. In the center is a small brass hook, on which the watch hangs, and all that is necessary to see the time in the night is to press the button of the lamp. If this useful article is kept in place where we are able to lay our hands on it in the dark, it saves all the trouble of striking matches when we wish to know the time in the night, to say nothing of any risk it may save us from fire.

It can be ornamented in many ways, but perhaps one of the most simple is to wall sandpaper the wood and stain it a nice dark green, and the front part of the upper portion, against which the watch hangs, may be covered with a small square of velvet.

## HOUSEWORK AND HEALTH.

Washing Windows, for Instance, Good for Muscles, Steadies the Nerves and Highly Recommended.

"Do your own housework. If you want out of door air, get out and wash the windows. Window washing is to my mind a fine piece of arm work. The windows are never muddy, so there is no excuse that it is dirty work. A chamais, a cloth, and a pail of fresh water are about all that is needed. And then just think of the beneficial effects.

"Window washing gives you just the amount of outdoor air you need. The window is open and you get the benefit of the hot house air rushing to the outside. The air is far from biting, even on the coldest days; in summer time it is positively bewitching. Meanwhile you are exercising your arms and breathing deeply from the exercise.

"Window washing is good for the nerves; it teaches them to be steady. As you stand in the ledge—which you can do after a little practice—or as you sit leaning far out, you learn to control your nerves and muscles. You grow steadier in your head and more accustomed to keeping yourself in check.

"Again, I consider window washing good for the mind. I once had an insane patient who was absolutely cured by the simple occupation of cleaning the windows of the house in which she was kept. A society woman, with nothing in the world to do, she lost her mind upon a sudden shock. Nothing would interest or divert her. Once in a wild moment a nurse gave her a cloth and told her to wash the windows. She did as she was told and worked industriously an hour. The next day she took it up again. Within three or four days she began to grow quieter, then more rational; and within a month we sent her home cured. The work steadied her nerves and occupied her mind. I could say more in favor of this helpful branch of fresh air work, but this suffices."

## A CASE FOR WAISTS.

For the Delicate Blouse a Case Should Be Provided, Need Not Be Expensive.

To keep the delicate waists of dainty summer frocks or of evening gowns unmussed and in good condition the summer girl is making cases in which to pack them. There should be one for each gown.

They are made like the pillow slip for the baby's crib or carriage, having the opening midway across the back to be buttoned or tied together when once the waist is slipped in.

Of pretty flowered muslin, any of which can be bought for 10 or 15 cents a yard, lined with soft china silk or muslin in a solid color and bound with soft satin ribbon of a harmonizing shade, they are among the most practical and acceptable offerings one girl may make another.

Some sweet sachet powder, the odor best liked by the girl who is to make use of the case, is sprinkled between the outside and the lining.

## SUMMER DIVERSIONS

SOME ENTERTAINMENTS ONLY POSSIBLE IN WARM WEATHER.

A Most Aesthetic Daisy Luncheon—Decorations and Refreshments for a Lawn Party—A Morning Wedding.

### A Daisy Luncheon.

Now is the season for a daisy luncheon. These most satisfactory of nowers are blooming in quantities in the country and outskirts of town, and may be had for the plucking. Their lasting quality makes them especially adaptable for decorative purposes. Bank the mantels, fireplaces and corners of the room with them; brown earthenware crocks and jars are fine receptacles for this purpose. Facsimile daisies may be made from cardboard and water colors for place cards, or two or three natural ones may be thrust through a plain white card; the lettering done in gold is effective.

A charming centerpiece is made by filling a low glass dish or yellow jar with sand and then planting the daisies and make garlands of them to drop to the corners of the table from the chandelier. The candle sticks should be white, candles of yellow, with shades of yellow trimmed with artificial marguerites. This makes the prettiest table imaginable.

The menu can be kept nearly all white and yellow; if grape fruit is not procurable, oranges may be served in the same way, or white cherries dipped in powdered sugar; cream of celery soup with the yolk of hard boiled egg grated over the top; sweet breads with new potatoes, green peas in yellow ramakins or pastry shells with tiny carrot straws, hot biscuit, a fruit salad in banana skin boats, and orange ice with individual sunshine cake. Provide a knot of daisies for each guest, and in this day of the popular "all white" gown, it is most likely that the guests will complete the color scheme by appearing in white costumes.

A correspondent asks for a description of a lawn party, how to decorate, what to serve, etc.

There is nothing that will make a lawn party so pretty as quantities of Chinese lanterns, and there cannot be too many used. Then if without much expense the grounds could be wired with electric lights, they will make a veritable fairy land glimmering in the trees. The colored bulbs are very effective. Have plenty of rugs scattered about, with seats, a fern decorated table with a frappe or fruit lemonade, a tent or canvas awning for the serving of light refreshments, a platform for dancing, with a stringed orchestra of three or five pieces, will afford the requisites for a most delightful party.

A bride-elect, wishes to know what to serve at a 12 o'clock wedding luncheon; if paper or linen napkins should be used and what the duties of a ring bearer are.

In the first place, if this bride wishes to be strictly up-to-date she should call the repast served at noon a "breakfast," and not a "luncheon;" the hour for the latter is from one until two.

An acceptable menu for this season of the year would be a cold mixture of all the fruits obtainable, with a sugar sirup and served in tall glasses; then breasts of chicken or sweetbreads, potatoes, creamed new peas or asparagus tips on toast; a salad of cherries, the pits replaced by hazel nuts served on white hearts of head lettuce; an ice or cream, wedding cake and French coffee.

Use linen napkins; paper ones are only permissible at picnics, on the porch and at public affairs of an informal nature.

The ring bearer immediately precedes the bride, carrying the ring upon a silver tray or a small lace-covered pillow; at a recent wedding the circles were carried on the long golden stamen of a large calla lily by a tiny white-dressed page, and the idea was a lovely one.

MADAME MERRI.

## DISORDERED DIGESTION.

Simple Diet and Active Exercise Best Means of Keeping Vital Organs in Proper Condition.

Much of the sensitiveness of the body to changes in outside temperature comes from disordered digestion. Inward congestion, due to clogged, torpid bowels, produces a sense of chilliness; and the same condition causes one more readily to succumb to the heat of summer. Simple diet and active exercise, keeping all the vital organs free to perform their functions, will enable one to enjoy the cold of winter, and to be fresh and hearty in midsummer's fiercest heat.

Whoever reflects, will be able to see the truthfulness of these words of Thoreau: "It is the vice of the last season which compels us to arm ourselves for the next. If man always conformed to Nature, he would not have to defend himself against her, but find her his constant nurse and friend, as do plants and quadrupeds." He himself was a proof of this statement.

### Invitations for Dinner.

Except for a formal dinner, invitations written in the third person are out of date. Personal notes are sent ten days or so in advance and mention is made if cards or any other amusement will take place after dinner. For a formal dinner invitation the engraved card is generally used and mention is made if cards or any other amusement is to take place.

## A SMART LINEN DRESS.

This Is a Very Modish Summer Frock, Made with Tucking and Trimmed with Embroidery.

A pretty shade of forget-me-not blue linen makes up smartly in this style. The skirt has a narrow front breadth continued into the shaped piece that forms the lower part of skirt; this is laid over the upper part of skirt and is stitched.

The bodice has a yoke of open-work embroidery which forms a point in the center front; it is edged with a narrow



OF BLUE LINEN.

plaited frill. The linen is finely tucked each side where it joins the yoke, and is arranged in one large box-pleat in the center, which is ornamented with buttons.

The sleeves are tucked at the lower part into a deep pointed cuff of embroidery; this is finished with three frills of hem-stitched cambric.

The hat is of fine white straw, trimmed with pale blue spotted ribbon.

Material required for the dress: Twelve yards 30 inches wide, five-eighths yard piece embroidered 27 inches wide for yoke and cuffs.

## HOW TO REST THE EYES

Take Three Five-Minute Rests a Day for Sake of Beauty and Good of Eyes.

"Few people know how to rest the eyes. My grandmother, dear old soul, had a way of closing her eyes and rocking herself to sleep. It is good, but not as good as it might be.

"Better turn your chair away from the light; close your eyes gradually, rest your arms in your lap, get your mind working along pleasant channels, and so rest the orbs. My eyes look 100 per cent. better since I learned how to rest them.

"Resting your eyes means that they will not give out as soon as eyes that are never rested. Rest them three times a day, taking five minutes for each resting spell. It will repay you.

"Rested eyes do not have crows' feet around them; rested eyes do not have that faded look; rested eyes never lose their brightness; rested eyes do not squint.

"I make it a practice to read with my left side to the light. If I cannot do this, I turn the other side lightward. I never read facing the light.

"If you want your eyes to look like the eyes of a girl of nine don't read on a moving train; don't read when there is dust blowing; don't read in a dim light, and try not to read more than a few minutes at a time by artificial light.

"Take bright daylight for your reading. Or, if you must read at night, don't read long at a time. Stop and rest your eye muscles."

## HOW TO WASH THE FACE.

Use Plenty of Water and the Hands Rather Than the Corner of a Wash Cloth.

If a woman wants a pretty face she must wash it; not wipe her face and neck with the corner of a wash cloth and then dry it with a towel. Have a pure vegetable oil soap and plenty of warm water. Use the hands and plenty of soap for the face and neck; a bowl full of warm water and two of cold; a soft towel to dry the skin. Take a wash towel, crash or cheese cloth are good, and finish the bath. Any cloth that is used for the bath should be regularly laundered, and all toilet belongings should be kept sweet and clean. After each using, all cloths or towels should be well washed out, rinsed and hung in the sunshine, if possible. Rain-water is the very best water to use for any bath; when rain water can not be had, use the bran bag for softening the water. This is merely a cheese cloth bag of suitable size filled with wheat bran, and can be made at home. Let it soak in the water a little while before using.

### Form of Introduction.

When introducing a man to your sister you may say to her: "Mary, I want to introduce Mr. Jones," or it would be allowable to say, informally, "Mr. Jones, I want you to know my sister." It is not correct nor is it necessary to mention the family name as he knows it, and it is against all propriety to speak of one's sister as "Miss Brown."

### A Dark Neck.

There is nothing better than to bind slices of raw cucumber on the neck at night; wash off in the morning with warm water and a little soap, and rinse; dry well and apply the cucumber cold cream several times a day.



# WEATHER FORECAST:

Tomorrow:

Fair.

# THE EVENING NEWS.

TEMPERATURE TODAY:

At 8 p. m., 85 degrees.

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## IMPORTANT COUNCIL MEETING MONDAY NIGHT

The city fathers met in regular session Monday evening. Councilmen Timberlake, Bills, McFarland, Nettles, Barton, Lee, Sugg and Recorder Warren present. In absence of the Mayor, Recorder Warren presided. The minutes of last meeting were read and approved. A motion was carried that the committee on sewer system be allowed another week in the preparation of their report.

The first reading of an ordinance providing for the prohibition of dairies in the city was had.

Councilman B. A. Mason of the 1st ward, at this time offered his resignation to take effect immediately. On motion of Barton and seconded by McFarland, Mr. Mason's resignation was unanimously accepted. On motion of Timberlake, the election of a successor to Mr. Mason was had. W. H. Ebeey was nominated by Nettles and unanimously elected.

The report of the city treasurer, finance committee, city marshal and street commissioner were presented and accepted.

A motion by Barton prevailed that the street commissioner be urged to collect street tax from all persons of lawful age unless certificates from the board of health be furnished stating that party is physically unable to perform manual labor, also paupers affidavit in compliance with Mansfield's digest prescribing oath for persons preceding without cost.

The following bills were allowed to equalization board.

S. M. Torbett,	\$25 00
C. P. Little,	25 00
T. J. Chambliss,	25 00
John Duemon,	5 15
Dascomb-Daniels Lumber Co.,	4 50
Pittsburg Meter Co.,	1 21
Guelock Packing Co.,	6 10
M. K. & T. Ry. Co.,	22 00
B. C. King,	37 45

The council adjourned to meet at 5 p. m. today for the purpose of considering the resignation of L. L. Johnson superintendent of waterworks.

### LAND LEASES.

#### Inherited Lands of Indians Subjected to New Leasing Arrangements.

Muskogee, I. T., July 16.—The new regulations under which inherited lands in the five civilized tribes can be sold and the land of full bloods leased have been received by Indian Inspector J. George Wright.

There is intense interest in these regulations because it is estimated that it will make one-fourth of the allotted lands in the Indian Territory saleable and taxable.

There is no change in the manner of selling lands from the former method with the exception that the application for sale must be made by the identified heirs of the deceased allottee and the land listed for sale must be advertised in a newspaper in the nation in which the land lies. The lease provisions that have been effective in the Creek and Cherokee nations on mineral, oil and gas lands are made effective over all the other nations the Curtis act placed restrictions on all full blood lands and provided that the homestead of such Indians should neither be sold nor leased.

The new regulations make a provision that where it is shown that an allottee is unable to develop his homestead on account of infirmity or other cause he may lease the same for a period of 3 years for grazing purposes and for five years agricultural purposes, all leases to be approved by the secretary of interior, after the agent has been shown proof of the disability of the Indian to cultivate his own land profitably.

This regulation applies to all the nations but does not effect any valid existing leases. A great deal of the homestead land in the territory is under lease.

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## FRANCIS COMMERCIAL CLUB TELEGRAPH THE PRESIDENT

Francis, I. T., July 17.—The car of wheat in which the dead body of Harry Prester of Tulsa was found has been closely watched by the citizens and Commercial Club of this place. Up to Saturday no attempt was made by the railroad company to ship the wheat to its destination. The claim agent received instructions to dispose of the damaged wheat for seed wheat and forward the remainder of the load to its destination.

On Saturday morning it was noticed that the wheat was being transferred to another car and the Commercial club began to take steps to prevent its going forward and being unloaded upon the public, who knew nothing about the tragedy in the car.

When the corpse was found it was discovered by the blood that had percolated through the wheat and leaked out of the bottom of the car on the trucks and gearing, and the wheat, when examined, showed considerable damage from the blood and decayed body of the child.

The Commercial club, having no way of taking hold of the matter, sent the following telegram to President Roosevelt.

Francis, I. T. July 14.—Theodore

Roosevelt, President of the United States, Washington, D. C.: We the Commercial Club of Francis, I. T., expressing the wish of the citizens generally, beg and pray that you condemn and order destroyed a certain car of wheat now in this yard and being transferred to a car for shipping to destination. Said car was discovered to contain a dead human body in a state of decomposition, and drippings from same had saturated a great portion of the wheat. Without your aid the wheat will be made into flour. Letter with full details will follow.

Respectfully,  
Commercial Club, Francis, I. T.  
Per: J. O. McMinn, Secretary.

### Notice to Democrats.

Members of the Ada Democrat club are urged to meet at the Commissioner court room tonight at 8 30. Important business. J. P. Wood, President.

### Notice to Knights of Pythias.

Tuesday evening July 17th officers will be installed and other important business transacted. Refreshments served. All Sir Knights urged to be present. J. P. Wood, President.

## ROFF PREPARES FOR GREAT CONFEDERATE REUNION

At a meeting of the Commercial Club Confederate Veterans and citizens, held last Friday night final arrangements were made for the Annual Reunion of the United Confederate Veterans of the Chickasaw nation at Roff next Thursday, Friday and Saturday, 19th, 20th and 21st.

The meeting was an enthusiastic one, every fellow getting his shoulder to the wheel. Liberal contributions were made, which will provide ample funds to make the three days one continual round of pleasure and insure that the affair will be a grand success.

The committee had done good work and since the meeting are still busier. Advertising committee has thoroughly covered the country with circulars and other literature and the people will be here. Committee on homes has done its duty and the visitors will be well cared for, the entertainment committee has completed a fine program which appears in the big ad on another page, and the thousands of people who attend will be royally entertained.

Such eloquent men as Hons D. H. Linebaugh, C. A. Skeen, Claude Weaver, W. M. Franklin, Henry Furman, R. L. Williams, Drs. Fife and Saunders, are worth traveling many miles to hear. Fine music and big attractions, such as base ball, gun club shoot, camp fire tales, etc., will keep things lively.

On Saturday, the last day, there will be a big barbecue for everybody. This will be among the leading Territorial events for 1906—Roff Eagle.

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### LAND FOR A HOME.

#### Dr. D. M. Hailey Makes Magnificent Present to Daughters of Confederacy

At a meeting of the committees representing the Jeff-Lee Camp of the Veterans the Memorial Association, the Stonewall Jackson Chapter and the Choctaw Chapter of the daughters of the Confederacy was held at McAlester June 30 1906.

Mrs. W. I. Culbertson, president of the Indian Territory division of the U. D. C., was formerly presented with ten acres of the ground and the buildings located thereon as a nucleus for the establishing of a confederate home for the Indian Territory. The presentation was made by Dr. D. M. Hailey in a nice little speech and a letter of transmittal was handed to the president.

### Notice Camp.

There will be a meeting of the Ada camp United Sons of Confederate Veterans, at the News building Wednesday evening at 6 30 o'clock for the purpose of opening membership rolls and to discuss the camps representation at the Brigade Reunion at Roff Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Jno. P. Crawford,  
Commandant.

Chas. H. Little,  
Adjutant.

J. R. Chandler and Prof. Primm, of Francis, are in the city today attending the session of the county executive committee.



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## A Timely Suggestion

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## B. Y. P. U. ENCAMPMENT AT SULPHUR JULY 17-25

The Indian Territory B. Y. P. U. will hold their first annual encampment at Sulphur July 17th to 25th.

The Oklahoma B. Y. P. U. is the invited guest and an amalgamation of the two Associations is sure to occur.

The city of Sulphur has donated a large plot of land, well watered and shaded to the B. Y. P. U.'s of the New State if they will hold their annual encampments at Sulphur. The proposition is surely to be accepted. A large delegation from throughout Oklahoma is expected. W. C. Duncan and W. H. Braley were empowered to appoint as many delegates as would consent to go.

Try the new barber shop at the Harris. If you are not pleased your money is refunded. 94-11

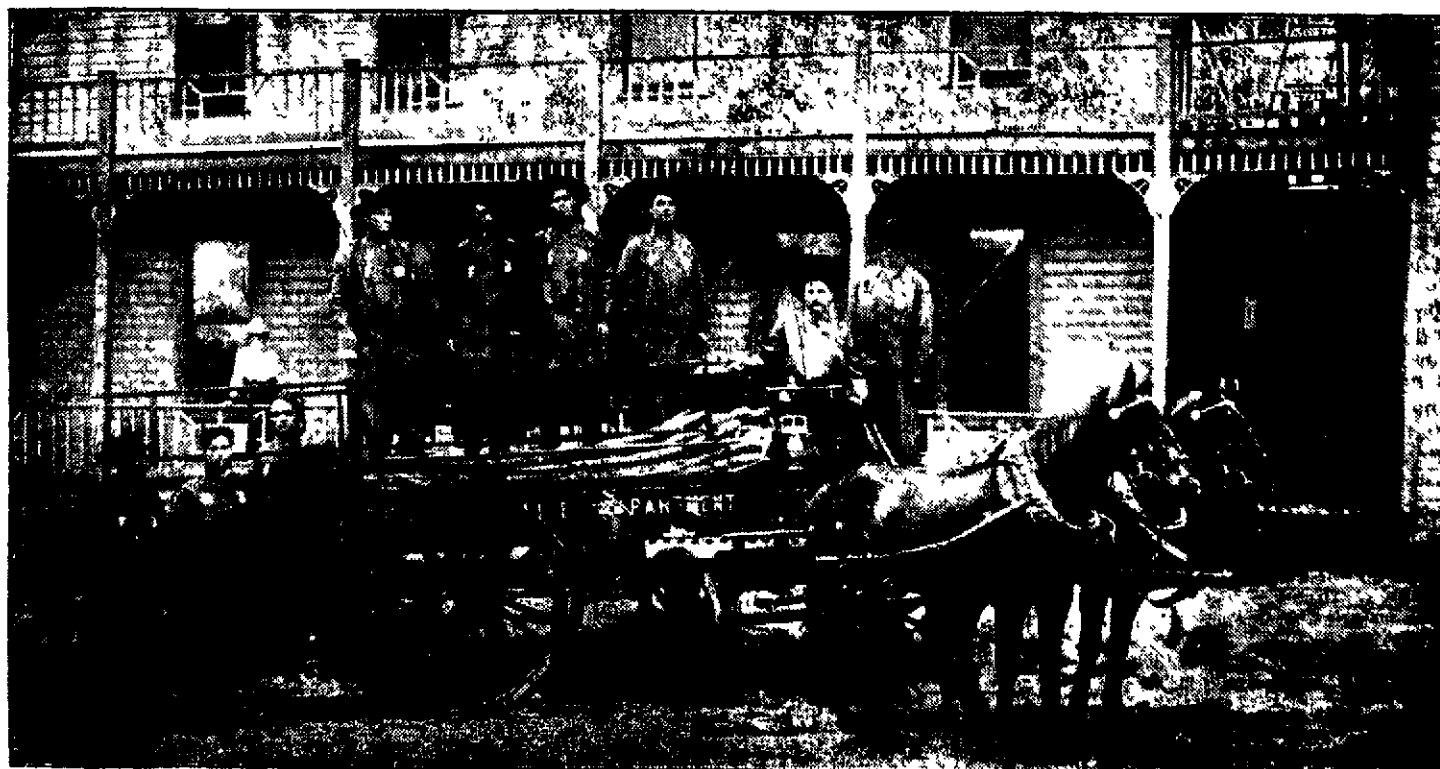
### THE WORLDS RICHEST MAN DEAD.

#### Alfred Beit of South Africa Claimed that Distinction.

London, July 16.—Alfred Beit, a South African financier and often called "the richest man in the world," died today.

He was born in Hamburg in 1853 and went to Africa when a youth. He was there when the diamonds were first discovered and became a diamond broker, later getting control of some of the best mines. Since that time he has become interested in nearly every large commercial enterprise in South Africa. He was never married.

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## STRANGE SAVAGE CUSTOM

Weird Tribal Ceremony of the Natives of the Anglo-Abyssinian Boundary.

Some remarkable tribal customs are reported by an expedition sent into the comparatively unknown countries between the Abyssinian capital and the northwest of Lake Rudolf, in the neighborhood of the Anglo-Abyssinian boundary.

While the expedition was sitting out at Maji, the Abyssinian post in the southwest, the local Shakkalla king died. He was sewn up in a fresh hide bag in a sitting position and placed on the floor of his hut, which stood in a clearing in the forest, and from miles around his subjects came to the lying in state.

The ground of the clearing was of hard beaten clay. All round were thick rows of huge "gogo" palms, and on one side four spacious, well thatched huts and a curious mound, probably sacrificial. By the side of the huts thousands of cow bells, sweet in tone as those in a Swiss upland valley, were hung on rude trellises and swung backwards and forwards by bands of women under the direction of an old witch.

The hard, level flooring of the clearing shook under the feet of hundreds of naked warriors, chanting a wild song of death, now advancing in a rhythmic rush, now retreating and leaving two of their number in the open, who, with their 12-foot spears held horizontally just over their shoulders, the shafts quivering like a snake before it strikes, danced a wild war dance, keeping time to the chant of the chorus.

When the din grew louder the crowd surged round the dead king's hut, suddenly parted, and through the lane thus formed dashed a gleaming figure, adorned with a leopard skin, orange colored ostrich feathers, beads, and bands of copper and brass and ivory round his neck and arms.

Three times he rushed round the clearing, followed by the shouting, singing warriors, and then disappeared as quickly as he had come. The new king had been chosen.

## THE PILLAGER INDIANS.

Hereditary Home of a Tribe Who Trace Back Perhaps Twenty Centuries.

A long, deep, clear and very cold body of water called Brunslake lake, north of Lake Superior near the Canadian boundary, contains, among over 100 other beautiful islands, a certain sunny islet that is of great interest to the archaeologist.

These islands and waters, writes Frank Abiel Flower, in Records of the Past, constitute the hereditary home of the Pillager Indians, who are pagans.

One of these islands (known as Flower island), as it has been for generations, the seat of the Pillager kings. On it sleep, according to tribal tradition, over 50 successive Pillager rulers, the ancestors of the present chief or king, who, he says, must have reigned an average of 30 or 40 years each, as he himself has been chief for more than half a century.

Think of a dynasty extending over a period of perhaps 20 centuries! The more modern graves are carefully roofed with cedar bark, which, when kept dry and away from the earth, is almost imperishable. The very ancient graves have been essentially obliterated by the ravages of the elements. At the head of each of the traceable graves is carved the peculiar hereditary insignia of the king who sleeps beneath, and above him are placed receptacles for the mah-no-min (will rice), fish, berries and other food which are brought annually by the related members of the tribe to appease as they suppose, the hunger of the departed.

## Thrown Out.

"And you say you lost your position by the great earthquake in San Francisco?" inquired the kind lady.

"Yes, mum," replied Frayed Franklyn.

"What was your position?"

"I was asleep in a barn at the time, mum."—Milwaukee Sentinel.

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## REVEALS CHARACTER

PECCOLIARITIES OF SEX APPEAR IN FLAT-HUNTING.

Men Hate to Move When Once Settled—Women Expose Their Foibles in Making Selection.

"Here's where you have a chance to study human nature," says the superintendent of a Chicago apartment house, according to the Inter Ocean. "Why, I can tell as soon as I have gone over an apartment with a couple whether they live happily together."

"If they talk over the attractive corners and she tells where his reading lamp will go, and he says that is a nice corner for her tea table, they are pretty sure to be home folks."

"If he digs holes in the floor with his cane while she makes a quick survey of the rooms and orders repairs in a lifeless fashion, they are merely getting a shell of a home in which to hang the skeleton of their one-time domestic happiness."

"You learn to read women, too, in this business," he continues. "The woman who talks about the lovely flat she has and how she hates to leave it, but Henry is bound to come up town; who criticizes everything in the apartment and fairly sniffs the air for trouble, will make a nagging, fault finding tenant, and if I had my way I'd raise her rent."

"The woman who wears a stylish dress in the newest coloring and fabric, but whose shoes are run down at the heel, whose finger tops need manicuring and whose underskirts hang in tatters of embroidery below her skirts, is sure to be a sloppy housekeeper and ruin the fittings in the flat."

"References count for something, but not everything. A doubtful party always comes well armed with references, but when a woman and a man look at each other doubtfully and wonder whether they had best give the name of their uncle, or his employer, or their last landlord, I take heart and know they are not up to Chicago tricks."

"The bane of the apartment house superintendent is the Sunday rush. All through April we work early and late showing apartments on Sunday. On a pleasant Sunday we show perhaps 300 callers over apartments and rent possibly two. On a rainy Monday we have three callers and rent two apartments. Rainy day flat hunters mean business."

"I do not believe any man would move if he had his own way. He would rather pay more rent, put in a gas stove if the steam heat is not all that it ought to be, sleep on a mattress stretched on the boards laid over the bathtub, if the flat is too small—anything rather than move. Moving has driven more than one well intentioned man to drink."

## GETTING CREW FOR WHALER

Each Man Has to Be Rounded Up Times Without Number to Get Him Aboard.

In Harper's Magazine Clifford W. Ashley, the artist who recently made a trip in an old-fashioned whaler for the magazine, tells entertainingly of the difficulties of finally getting the crew together and aboard ship.

"Sunday morning, long before the church bells rung," says Mr. Ashley, "we were gathered in the darkened front of the store. I had stopped at the postoffice for my mail, and as I stepped out again into the bright sunshine of that August morning, a couple of sailors lumbered hastily by and lodged around the corner. As they were vanishing, one of the 'owners' appeared in the street, gazing up and down in a mystified manner, vainly seeking a glimpse of the runaways. When he saw me he hailed cheerfully. From the alley whence he had emerged, a series of derisive hoots followed him, then a wagon-load of seamen appeared, being trundled off to the river. Swaying and pitching as the cart jolted over the cobbles, they hoisterously spoke each passerby, making the street hideous with their yells. Before I entered the store I saw them, one by one, dropping off over the tail-board, utterly oblivious to the protests of the unfortunate dry goods clerk who was held responsible for their delivery."

"The front shop was crowded and noisy, but the real hubbub was in a small back room. Here the sailors, howling and pounding, were locked up when caught, and held till the return of the wagon to take them off to the river. Word was received that the mate refused to go on board till he had partaken of his Sunday dinner. On various pretexts others sought to get off for a while longer—one had forgotten to bid his mother good-bye; another had left home without an overcoat. The clerks rushed frantically about. Each man had to be rounded up—not once, but half a dozen times."

## Diplomatic Subject.

Italy's king recently paid a visit to Vesuvius. On the occasion of a previous visit an Italian newspaper announced that "the eruption had the honor of being witnessed by his majesty." It was a German paper that once stated that a certain royal prince "was graciously pleased to be born yesterday." Equally courtierlike was an army officer in attendance on the king of Spain not long ago. The king asked him what was the time. The courtier fumbled for his watch, but could not find it, then respectfully replied: "Whatever time your majesty chooses."

## THE LAWN AND LAWN MOWER

How to Keep the Mower in Good Order—Better to Mow Twice Than Once a Week.

The lawn mower is generally much abused by the majority of those who use it. When nicely adjusted and in good working order it may be kept so by a hair's breadth turn of the adjusting screws or bolts and no one should be allowed to meddle with these parts unless he fully understands them. The blades of the lawn mower strike the cutting bar in such a manner as to be largely self-sharpening and no machine, if well oiled and adjusted, will need sharpening unless it is run into stones or other hard substances that may dull or bend the knives.

The ordinary machine oil used upon larger machines than the lawn mower, on wagons, etc., is too heavy for the lawn mower except in very hot weather and should be thinned with an equal amount of kerosene. No machine will keep in perfect working order for a great length of time without cleaning and the lawn mower which is run through so much dust and dirt should be taken apart once or twice every season, each part carefully cleaned and wiped and then freshly oiled. The machines with large wheels and ball bearings run more easily than many of the older patterns, but the latter, if kept in perfect order, will run with comparative ease and will do good service for many years.

When the lawn clippings are short, not over an inch in length, they will settle down among the grass stems and decay, but if they are too long or are wet they will bunch and in very warm weather will smother the grass stalks and roots under them. In most cases it will require less time and effort to mow twice a week and let the clippings drop on the ground and remain there than to cut but once a week and rake up the clippings, as must often be done.—Chicago Chronicle.

## TIMELY FLORAL NOTES.

The Season for Various Favorites and the Commoner Flowers Not to Be Despised.

Oriental poppies, with very large and imposing peony-like flowers, make a brave show in the garden from the end of May through the first weeks of June. These will bear transplanting if carefully handled.

Foxgloves, white, spotted and pale lilac, are well worth a place in any garden. In the hardy border, where they are best placed, it is well to plant them back of sweet williams or else with peonies. They blossom at about the same time and the tall, graceful spikes of foxgloves rising above and behind the others produce a beautiful effect. Canterbury bells, having much the same habit as foxgloves, are grown in the same fashion; they are white, pink, blue and purple. Both are biennials; that is, start from the seed one year and blossom and die the next. They are much more effective grown in clumps.

Marigolds, both the double French and the double African, are apt to be treated with contempt during the reign of more delicate and beautiful summer flowers, but with what gratefulness we turn to them in October, when everything else is gone!

The new varieties of zinnias are by no means to be despised. They are fine in color, many new shades having been developed, are very double, and are fine for house decoration, the stems being long and stiff.

Ida D. Bennett says she has grown *salvia splendens* (scarlet sage) to a height of five feet, in a bed of marsh earth kept well supplied with water through a pipe. *Salvia* will do well in the hottest sun if well supplied with water.—Michigan Live Stock Journal.

## Saratoga Chips.

Wash and pare medium sized potatoes, slice very thin (I use a saw cutter for slicing), drop them into cold water as they are cut and let them remain there until they are very firm. Have a kettle on the stove about half full of lard. Lift potatoes out of the cold water and put into a clean, white cloth. Press them in this until they are quite dry; then drop them into the smoking hot lard. Let them fry a delicate brown. When done lift them out with a wire spoon. Sift salt over them as soon as they are taken out, while warm. To have them at their best, they should be used when first made. Damp weather will affect their crispness.

## Brown Bread.

One cup black molasses, one cup buttermilk, one cup water, one teaspoon each of salt, soda and baking powder, and one quart flour. The coarser the flour, the better. This will fill three one-pound baking powder cans, when done. But divide the mixture equally in the cans—they will be about one-half full, and raise to the top. Be sure to put lids on and bake one hour in a moderate oven.

## Peanut Butter.

Peanut butter is easily made at home by passing the roasted and shelled nuts several times through the finest knives of a patent food grinder, the oil in the nut being quite sufficient to make the butter creamy. Should more be needed, add a little pure olive oil. Salt to taste and pack in small jars.

## Insect Bites.

For stings or bites from any kind of insect apply dampened salt, bound tightly over the spot. It will relieve and usually cure very quickly.

## PRECOCIOUS SENILITY.

Valuable Lives Snuffed Out in Youth and Middle Age by Disease of Age.

Precocious senility, when marked and rapid, is so rare as to be mere academic interest, a pathologic curiosity, such as the recorded instance of children of six years dying with arteriosclerosis and other signs of extreme age, says American Medicine. Even the very uncommon, but a much larger number of milder cases have so long been noted as to have given rise to the axiom that a man is as old as his arteries. These cases deserve more thought than is given to them, not so much to discover cures as to prevent decay, and save to society so many valuable lives which are now snuffed out in the middle age by diseases of the senile. There has been much wild speculation on the subject, chiefly in lay journals, and due, no doubt, to some more or less sensational investigations of Metchnikoff on the causes of normal senility and the possibility of prolonging human life beyond the century mark. Yet it is a serious problem and we should know what is the stimulus which makes one organism go through all its life changes in 60 years, while another under apparently identical conditions lasts 80 years longer.

## COLD IS A MINOR FACTOR

In Pneumonia the Huddling Together of People Is More Important

Augustus Wadsworth declares that experience has shown cold to be a minor predisposing factor in the development of pneumonia. The huddling together of people in close quarters is of far more importance, says Medical Record.

The treatment of pneumonia in its present stage may be said to be either very easy or impossible. A careful prophylaxis against disturbances of the digestive tract is of the greatest importance. Many ways of attaining the same results present themselves and the choice in great measure rests with personal experience. The hope of definite results lies in the production of an efficient and specific antiseptic.

It is known that poisonous substances are elaborated by the pneumococcus, but so far the production of an antitoxin corresponding to that used in diphtheria has not been obtained. Pneumonia, however, is the bacteremic disease and as yet in none of this type have satisfactory results been secured in relation to antisera. The hope of success nevertheless is gradually growing brighter.

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## THE TOO, TOO SOLID FLESH

Nothing Helps More Than Daily Exercise Religiously Kept Up, Perseverance and Success.

Solid flesh of many a weary woman may be truly reduced by daily practice. The waist and hips may be reduced at least three inches in as many months. As the waist muscles become stronger digestion is better and assimilated food goes to muscle instead of fat, thereby reducing the whole body.

Deep breathing also burns up fat. Place a pipe-stem in the mouth; breathe out through it until the lungs are completely empty, then inhale through the nostrils until the lungs are packed. If dizzy do not be alarmed, the lungs are surprised at the gratefully increased amount of air. They will get used to it.

Practice this exercise frequently, extremely frequently. It is simple and most excellent.

Stand in correct pose, weight on balls of feet, heels and knees together, abdomen drawn back, chest out, and head erect; while holding the breath bring the arms out sideways, and up over the head; clasp hands and stretch upward, gently at first. Relax arms and exhale. After a few days' practice the stretching may be vigorous, and the upper part of the body swayed from side to side. Repeat this movement until tired. It is valuable.

The practice is made more interesting by taking measurements at the beginning and at the end of each month's practice, and comparing the figures. While disrobed measure the waist, hips below the waist line five inches, and chest, both with lungs empty and with lungs full.

Also measure from the base of the neck to the waist line, both in front and in back, to see how much the chest line may be lengthened. The hips should not measure more than 12 inches more than the waist, or five inches more than the chest. The chest expansion probably will be about one inch. It should be at least three inches.

In addition to practicing the exercises, the student would do well to observe the following advice: For the first month avoid rich desserts, sweets and fattening vegetables, eat lean meats, fish, eggs, dry toast and fruits, except bananas. Exercise until perspiration is profuse. If these rules are faithfully followed for a month and the exercise practiced faithfully the pupil should be able to keep the body in good trim by exercise alone.

## ARTS OF THE TOILET.

To Remove Tan and Freckles—Keep Hands Soft and White—Good for a Muddy Skin.

To remove tan and freckles, nothing is better than a lotion composed of four ounces of witch hazel, four ounces of glycerine and the juice of two lemons. We are informed by a writer in *The Commoner* Apply to the face, neck and hands after washing, and at night.

Permanent freckles are akin to moth patches, and require both internal and external treatment. The internal treatment consists of something that will act on the liver and at the same time stimulate the circulation of the blood. For this purpose olive oil, taken in teaspoonful doses before breakfast and at bed time, is recommended as being excellent. The local treatment ordered by some specialists consists of drawing them to the surface and gradually peeling them off, or bleaching them out. The freckle spots lie under the lower layer of the skin, of which there are four. The outer is no thicker than tissue paper, and it is this skin which is peeled in a blister. Thus it will be readily seen why freckles are so difficult to remove as the skin is stained through and through. Nearly all skin bleaches contain mercury (corrosive sublimate), which is an active mineral poison if taken internally, therefore the use of it is not recommended for careless hands.

Another whitener for the hands is composed of lemon juice (three ounces), white wine vinegar (three ounces), white brandy one-half pint. Corn meal rubbed over the hands after washing is excellent. It should be used before wiping the hands.

For muddy skin, a good rule to observe is, when the tongue is coated or there are indications of a clogged internal condition, to stop eating, fasting a day or two at a time, or with only light food once a day. Instead of eating, drink copiously of pure water between meals. Several quarts a day is none too much to flood out the impurities. A sallow or pimply skin is a lazy skin. Exercise should be taken to induce perspiration.

Use almond meal in place of soap for washing the hands, and the skin will not get dry and wrinkled, the soap takes out the natural oil.

### Cotillion Favors.

The advantage of having paper favors for a club dance or a cotillion is that they can be made at home for absolutely nothing, and if several girls worked on them they would make their dance most effective with little outlay for ornamental trifles that are the principal parts of such affairs.

### A Good Skin Food.

Take half a cup of pure mutton tallow. Add half a cup of pure almond oil. Heat together and beat with an egg beater as they are cooling. Put in just enough perfume to scent. This is not very cheap, but it is very good.

### Simple Cosmetic.

Take a cucumber, split it lengthwise, apply it to the skin and let the juice dry.

## MORE APPARENT HEIGHT.

May Be Obtained by Deep Breathing and System of Exercise for Reducing Superfluous Fat.

"As soon as you learn to breathe deeply all the time you will grow taller. As soon as you get into this habit of pulling a breath right from the bottom of your abdomen, you will grow stronger. As soon as you have acquired this peculiarity you will grow thinner. It exercises the muscles of the abdomen so thoroughly that they grow supple and able to throw off their fat. It is a cure for nearly every ill there is."

"Then come the bending motions, for it is part of suppleness that one can bend double and lay one's hand upon the floor. Of course one should not bend the knees. The idea is to bend without bending the knees and to lay the finger tips upon the carpet. This is the best of all known exercises for making the muscles limber."

The most important exercise upon growing taller is the pole exercise. The pole must be a long one, and about as thick as your wrist. While it does not have to bear your weight, it must be stout enough not to break when your strength is thrown upon it.

The exercises are simple. The first one is that of touching the ends of the pole. Reach out with your finger tips and try to reach the tips of the pole. Have the pole so long that you cannot quite reach the ends. Then keep on trying to touch them. It broadens the shoulders and gives the arms the exercise they need for the second motion.

The second pole motion is the real one when it comes to being higher. The pole is set on end, and the game is to reach up as high as possible. Try to touch the top. Don't climb the pole, but simply reach up. Keep on reaching up and up for five minutes.

The way to do it is this: Take a deep, long breath; grasp the pole firmly in the middle; then travel up, hand over hand, until you go as high as you can. When you have reached your limit, make a mark, and begin over again. The highest mark will record your progress for that day. Next day try again. But don't keep on for more than five minutes at a time, for it is easy to injure your muscles in this manner.

## PIANOFORE FOR MEALS.

Affords Much More Protection Than a Mere Bib and How to Make the Little Apron.

These pinafores take the place of a bib, and are really more protection to the white pinafore and dress over which they are worn. Diaper, linen and crash are all suitable materials in which to make it. The edge is buttonholed round in scallops, a small



TAKES THE PLACE OF A BIB. Star or flower being worked in each alternate scallop.

In the trimmer papers there are many pretty edgings suitable for the purpose. The design may be worked in colored flax thread, mercerized cotton, or washing silk.

A band to fasten round the waist is attached to each side.

## AT A HOUSE WEDDING.

Arrangement of the Receiving Party. Usually No Special Form of Entertainment Provided.

At a house wedding the bride's mother should stand near the main entrance to the drawing room and receive the guests as they enter the room. The guests who wish to remove any wraps should be told where the dressing room is by the servant, who opens the front door. After removing their wraps they should at once descend to the drawing room, direct Elizabeth Biddle.

As a rule guests are not seated at a house wedding. The near relatives and intimate friends of the bride couple should stand on either side of the room near the place where the marriage ceremony is to take place. If you are to have ushers they should escort the guests to their places in the room, taking care that the members of the family are near the bride party.

After the ceremony the guests are expected to look at the presents, if they are displayed, and to partake of the refreshments in the dining-room. The bride party should remain in the drawing-room until they have received the congratulations of all the guests, after which they may go to the dining-room.

The bride's father and mother should introduce their friends to the mother and father of the groom, but no special form of entertainment is expected.

### The Proper Card.

A woman's card has her street address, without town or state. If visiting friends in a distant city one may write the transient address in lower corner of card.

### For Freckles.

Use a weak lotion of lemon juice and water followed by an application of cold cream. Cucumber lotion is also a good thing to use.

## TABLE DECORATIONS.

Tall Vases Are No Longer Liked for Center Decoration—Some Pretty Flower Combinations.

Tall vases full of flowers are not used in the center of the dining table nowadays because they obstruct the view, and make conversation across the table almost impossible. The graceful baskets, with or without handle, which are brought in silver, glass, china or even straw, make beautiful centerpieces. Purple and pale yellow make a cool and beautiful combination of colors. Lilac combined with huge bunches of very pale blue forget-me-nots make an odd but attractive decoration, and sweet peas of all shades with maiden-hair or asparagus ferns are always attractive.

At a dinner you should use lighted candles. Very beautiful shades are now made as follows: A design of flowers or of leaves is worked in beads the natural color of the flower or leaves. Each flower or leaf is then cut out and fastened on a little wire frame, so as to form a graceful design which entirely covers the frame; at the top is fastened a row of large cut glass beads of the principal shade of the flowers or leaves; and at the bottom is fastened a row of deep fringe made of small beads of the same color. Very pretty little shades are made of row after row of narrow gauze ribbon sewed on a piece of gauze the size and shape of the candle shade frame. Fruit is often served as a first course even at dinner instead of hors d'oeuvres. A very little soup should be put in each plate. Fish should be served next, then an entree. Two entrees may be served if you wish. Then the roast and vegetables. Then game and salad, and last of all, the dessert—which comprises ices, then fruit and bonbons. Coffee ends the repast.

## CHILDREN'S CLOTHES.

Simple Dresses Both for Afternoon and Morning—Are Preferred Ones of the Day.

Common sense has entered the domain of baby's outfit and for summer every well-dressed child will have a quantity of dresses and aprons which will not need a fine laundress to do them justice. Both afternoon and morning dresses are severely plain, but the simplicity of cut is relieved by the pretty material and the care with which these small garments are fashioned. Smocking, a pretty honeycomb effect, is much in vogue now for children's clothes. As smocking is delightful fancy work for old moments, many of baby's dresses are made by mamma in the long afternoons on the hotel piazza.

Next in importance to the smocked novelties are the Russian effects, both for boys and girls. Some of these Russian suits seem rather extraordinary to the conservative taste and the genuine Russian dress, with its patch of colored material under the arm, can only be worn by the picturesque child, and looks out of place on the up-to-date modern youngster. The Russian one-piece dress is very practical however, as it is easily laundered and can be made up of almost any material. Elaborated with fantastic needlework, pretty gumps and bands of different colors it is charming.

A little girl's Russian dress shows wide lucks, falling from the shoulder to the hem of the garment. The dress is shaped slightly to the figure in the side seams, so that it does not look too bulky or full.

A correct Russian dress for girls has no belt, but the addition of a belt usually gives a smarter look to the frock.

## THE PALE GRAY NOTE.

The Parisians Are Making Use of Some Very Soft Harmonies of Tone This Season.

The present feeling in Paris for touches of pale gray is prettily carried out in a charming pale, dull, melon-green afternoon gown, which is much self-manipulated and gathered, and trimmed with a quaint garniture and pipings of pale gray velours, very sparingly and lightly used, so as not to create a heavy effect. Worn with a pale gray, very fine chip hat, with a green veil draping it, and a cluster of green and gray velvet elematis Jackmann, this makes a delightful dress. It is accompanied by a shaped pelerine of green tulle, mousseline, exactly matching in tone, also decorated with gray velvet in many narrow rows, and fashioned to resemble those worn in the forties.

Another very delightful frock, with the same gray touch, is a very pale buff silk muslin, embroidered in old-world style with gray silk, and owning a little gray silk waistcoat and stock collar.

### Room Cool and Fragrant.

A woman who has traveled in India suggests that one of the daintiest ways of keeping a room cool in summer is by hanging curtains of an eastern grass which is now procurable here in the windows. These curtains are drenched in water. The air passing through the moist grass is not only cooled but also slightly perfumed with an oriental odor which is peculiarly refreshing. In lieu of the grass a piece of flannel dipped and wrung out of cold water may be hung over the window screen.

### A Second Call.

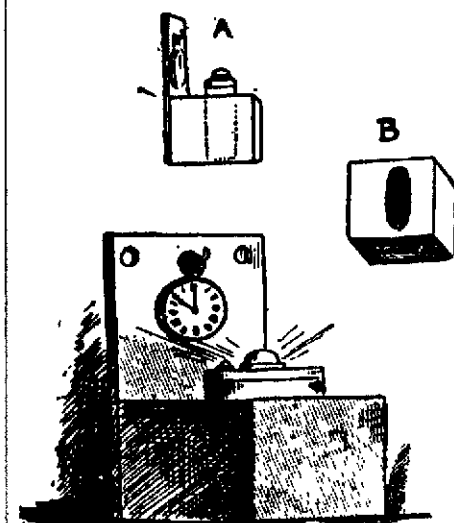
There is no fixed rule for the length of time that should elapse before paying a call for the second time, after the first one has been returned. Often an invitation of some kind, to tea, for instance, is given by the person who called first.

## CONVENIENT WATCH STAND

One of the Little Electric Lamps Forms Part of the Outfit—A Cigar Box the Stand.

This useful contrivance is easily made with the aid of a small wooden box and one of those little electric lamps that can now be obtained in many shops for a small sum. It is intended for use at night, and should be placed at some convenient spot within reach of the bedside, or hung on the wall by the side of the bed.

Plenty of material for its construction will be found in an ordinary cigar-box, which should be cut down to the required size. The lid should then be nailed down, and a hole made in it to receive the lamp. Fig. A



EASILY MADE

shows a side view, and B is the box tilted forward and showing the space into which the lamp is slipped. At the back a piece of wood is firmly glued on, and in this two little holes are made for nails to go through when it is required for hanging on the wall. In the center is a small brass hook, on which the watch hangs, and all that is necessary to see the time in the night is to press the button of the lamp. If this useful article is kept in place where we are able to lay our hands on it in the dark, it saves all the trouble of striking matches when we wish to know the time in the night, to say nothing of any risk it may save us from fire.

It can be ornamented in many ways, but perhaps one of the most simple is to well sandpaper the wood and stain it a nice dark green, and the front part of the upper portion, against which the watch hangs, may be covered with a small square of velvet.

## HOUSEWORK AND HEALTH.

Washing Windows, for Instance, Good for Muscles, Steadies the Nerves and Highly Recommended.

"Do your own housework. If you want out of door air, get out and wash the windows. Window washing is to my mind a fine piece of arm work. The windows are never muddy, so there is no excuse that it is dirty work. A chambray, a cloth, and a pail of fresh water are about all that is needed. And then just think of the beneficial effects."

"Window washing gives you just the amount of outdoor air you need. The window is open and you get the benefit of the hot house air rushing to the outside. The air is far from biting, even on the coldest days; in summer time it is positively bewitching. Meanwhile you are exercising your arms and breathing deeply from the exercise."

"Window washing is good for the nerves. It teaches them to be steady. As you stand in the ledge—which you can do after a little practice—or as you sit leaning far out, you learn to control your nerves and muscles. You grow steadier in your head and more accustomed to keeping yourself in check."

"Again, I consider window washing good for the mind. I once had an insane patient who was absolutely cured by the simple occupation of cleaning the windows of the house in which she was kept. A society woman, with nothing in the world to do, she lost her mind upon a sudden shock. Nothing would interest or divert her. Once in a wild moment a nurse gave her a cloth and told her to wash the windows. She did as she was told and worked industriously an hour. The next day she took it up again. Within three or four days she began to grow quieter, then more rational; and within a month we sent her home cured. The work steadied her nerves and occupied her mind. I could say more in favor of this helpful branch of fresh air work, but this suffices."

## A CASE FOR WAISTS.

For the Delicate Blouse a Case Should Be Provided, Need Not Be Expensive.

To keep the delicate waists of dainty summer frocks or of evening gowns unmarred and in good condition the summer girl is making cases in which to pack them. There should be one for each gown.

They are made like the pillow slip for the baby's crib or carriage, having the opening midway across the back to be buttoned or tied together when once the waist is slipped in.

Of pretty flowered muslin, any of which can be bought for 10 or 15 cents a yard, lined with soft china silk or muslin in a solid color and bound with soft satin ribbon of a harmonizing shade, they are among the most practical and acceptable offerings one girl may make another.

Some sweet sachet powder, the odor best liked by the girl who is to make use of the case, is sprinkled between the outside and the lining.

## SUMMER DIVERSIONS

SOME ENTERTAINMENTS ONLY POSSIBLE IN WARM WEATHER.

A Most Aesthetic Daisy Luncheon—Decorations and Refreshments for a Lawn Party—A Morning Wedding.

### A Daisy Luncheon.

Now is the season for a daisy luncheon. These most satisfactory of flowers are blooming in quantities in the country and outskirts of town, and may be had for the plucking. Their lasting quality makes them especially adaptable for decorative purposes. Bank the mantels, fireplaces and corners of the room with them; brown earthenware crocks and jars are fine receptacles for this purpose. Facsimile daisies may be made from cardboard and water colors for place cards, or two or three natural ones may be thrust through a plain white card; the lettering done in gold is effective.

A charming centerpiece is made by filling a low glass dish or yellow jar with sand and then planting the daisies and make garlands of them to drop to the corners of the table from the chandelier. The candle sticks should be white, candles of yellow, with shades of yellow trimmed with artificial marguerites. This makes the prettiest table imaginable.

The menu can be kept nearly all white and yellow; if grape fruit is not procurable, oranges may be served in the same way, or white cherries dipped in powdered sugar; cream of celery soup with the yolk of hard boiled egg grated over the top; sweet breads with new potatoes, green peas in yellow ramiakins or pastry shells with tiny carrot straws, hot biscuit, a fruit salad in banana skin boats, and orange ice with individual sunshine cake. Provide a knot of daisies for each guest, and in this day of the popular "all white" gown, it is most likely that the guests will complete the color scheme by appearing in white costumes.

A correspondent asks for a description of a lawn party, how to decorate, what to serve, etc.

There is nothing that will make a lawn party so pretty as quantities of Chinese lanterns, and there cannot be too many used. Then if without much expense the grounds could be wired with electric lights, they will make a veritable fairy land glimmering in the trees. The colored bulbs are very effective. Have plenty of rugs scattered about, with seats, a fern decorated table with a frappe or fruit lemonade, a tent or canvas awning for the serving of light refreshments, a platform for dancing, with a stringed orchestra of three or five pieces, will afford the requisites for a most delightful party.

A bride-elect, wishes to know what to serve at a 12 o'clock wedding luncheon; if paper or linen napkins should be used and what the duties of a ring bearer are.

In the first place, if this bride wishes to be strictly up-to-date she should call the repast, served at noon a "breakfast," and not a "luncheon," the hour for the latter is from one until two.

An acceptable menu for this season of the year would be a cold mixture of all the fruits obtainable, with a sugar syrup and served in tall glasses; then breasts of chicken or sweetbreads, potatoes, creamed new peas or asparagus tips on toast, a salad of cherries, the pits replaced by hazel nuts served on white hearts of head lettuce; an ice or cream, wedding cake and French coffee.

Use linen napkins; paper ones are only permissible at picnics, on the porch and at public affairs of an informal nature.

The ring bearer immediately precedes the bride, carrying the ring upon a silver tray or a small lace-covered pillow; at a recent wedding the circles were carried on the long golden stamen of a large calla lily by a tiny white-dressed page, and the idea was a lovely one.

MADAME MERRI.

## DISORDERED DIGESTION.

Simple Diet and Active Exercise Best Means of Keeping Vital Organs in Proper Condition.

Much of the sensitiveness of the body to changes in outside temperature comes from disordered digestion. Inward congestion, due to clogged, torpid bowels, produces a sense of chilliness; and the same condition causes one more readily to succumb to the heat of summer. Simple diet and active exercise, keeping all the vital organs free to perform their functions, will enable one to enjoy the cold of winter, and to be fresh and hearty in midsummer's fiercest heat.

Whoever reflects, will be able to see the truthfulness of these words of Thoreau: "It is the vice of the last season which compels us to arm ourselves for the next. If man always conformed to Nature, he would not have to defend himself against her, but find her his constant nurse and friend, as do plants and quadrupeds." He himself was a proof of this statement.

### Invitations for Dinner.

Except for a formal dinner, invitations written in the third person are out of date. Personal notes are sent ten days or so in advance and mention is made if cards or any other amusement will take place after dinner. For a formal dinner invitation the engraved card is generally used and mention is made if cards or any other amusement is to take place.

## A SMART LINEN DRESS.

This Is a Very Modish Summer Frock, Made with Tucking and Trimmed with Embroidery.

A pretty shade of forget-me-not blue linen makes up smartly in this style. The skirt has a narrow front breadth continued into the shaped piece that forms the lower part of skirt; this is laid over the upper part of skirt and is stitched.

The bodice has a yoke of open-work embroidery which forms a point in the center front; it is edged with a narrow



OF BLUE LINEN.

plaited trim. The linen is finely tucked each side where it joins the yoke, and is arranged in one large box-plait in the center, which is ornamented with buttons.

The sleeves are tucked at the lower part into a deep pointed cuff of embroidery; this is finished with three frills of hem-stitched cambric.

The hat is of fine white straw, trimmed with pale blue spotted ribbon.

Material required for the dress: Twelve yards 36 inches wide, five-eighths yard piece embroidered 24 inches wide for yoke and cuffs.

## HOW TO REST THE EYES

Take Three Five-Minute Rests a Day for Sake of Beauty and Good of Eyes.

"Few people know how to rest the eyes. My grandmother, dear old soul, had a way of closing her eyes and rocking herself to sleep. It is good, but not as good as it might be."

"Better turn your chair away from the light; close your eyes gradually, rest your arms in your lap, get your mind working along pleasant channels, and so rest the orbs. My eyes look 100 per cent. better since I learned how to rest them."

"Resting your eyes means that they will not give out as soon as eyes that are never rested. Rest them three times a day, taking five minutes for each resting spell. It will repay you."

"Rested eyes do not have crow's feet around them; rested eyes do not have that faded look; rested eyes never lose their brightness; rested eyes do not squint."

"I make it a practice to read with my left side to the light. If I cannot do this, I turn the other side lightward. I never read facing the light."

"If you want your eyes to look like the eyes of a girl of nine don't read on a moving train; don't read when there is dust blowing; don't read in a dim light, and try not to read more than a few minutes at a time by artificial light."

"Take bright daylight for your reading. Or, if you must read at night, don't read long at a time. Stop and rest your eye muscles."

## HOW TO WASH THE FACE.

Use Plenty of Water and the Hands Rather Than the Corner of a Wash Cloth.

If a woman wants a pretty face she must wash it; not wipe her face and neck with the corner of a wash cloth and then dry it with a towel. Have a pure vegetable oil soap and plenty of warm water. Use the hands and plenty of soap for the face and neck; a bowl full of warm water and two of cold; a soft towel to dry the skin. Take a wash towel, crush or cheese cloth are good, and finish the bath. Any cloth that is used for the bath should be regularly laundered, and all toilet belongings should be kept sweet and clean. After each using, all cloths or towels should be well washed out, rinsed and hung in the sunshine, if possible. Rain-water is the very best water to use for any bath; when rain water can not be had, use the bran bag for softening the water. This is merely a cheese cloth bag of suitable size filled with wheat bran, and can be made at home. Let it soak in the water a little while before using.

### Form of Introduction.

When introducing a man to your sister you may say to her: "Mary, I want to introduce Mr. Jones," or it would be allowable to say, informally, "Mr. Jones, I want you to know my sister." It is not correct nor is it necessary to mention the family name as he knows it, and it is against all propriety to speak of one's sister as "Miss Brown."

### A Dark Neck.

There is nothing better than to blind slices of raw cucumber on the neck at night; wash off in the morning with warm water and a little soap, and rinse; dry well and apply the cucumber cold cream several times a day.



# WEATHER FORECAST:

Tomorrow:  
Fair.

# THE EVENING NEWS.

TEMPERATURE TODAY:  
At 3 p. m., 85 degrees.

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## IMPORTANT COUNCIL MEETING MONDAY NIGHT

The city fathers met in regular session Monday evening, Councilmen Timberlake, Bills, McFarland, Nettles, Barton, Lee, Sugg and Recorder Warren present. In absence of the Mayor, Recorder Warren presided. The minutes of last meeting were read and approved. A motion was carried that the committee on sewer system be allowed another week in the preparation of their report.

The first reading of an ordinance providing for the prohibition of dairies in the city was had.

Councilman B. A. Mason of the 1st ward, at this time offered his resignation to take effect immediately. On motion of Barton and seconded by McFarland, Mr. Mason's resignation was unanimously accepted. On motion of Timberlake, the election of a successor to Mr. Mason was had. W. H. Ebey was nominated by Nettles and unanimously elected.

The reports of the city treasurer, finance committee, city marshal and street commissioner were presented and accepted.

A motion by Barton prevailed that the street commissioner be urged to collect street tax from all persons of lawful age unless certificates from the board of health be furnished stating that party is physically unable to perform manual labor, also paupers affidavit in compliance with Mansfield's digest prescribing oath for persons preceding without cost.

The following bills were allowed

To equalization board,	
S. M. Torbett,	\$25 00
C. P. Little,	25 00
T. J. Chambless,	25 00
John Duemon,	5 18
Dascomb-Daniels Lumber Co.,	4 50
Pittsburg Meter Co.,	1 21
Guelock Packing Co.,	6 10
M. K. & T. Ry. Co.,	22 00
B. C. King,	37 45

The council adjourned to meet at 5 p. m. today for the purpose of considering the resignation of L. L. Johnson, superintendent of waterworks

### LAND LEASES.

#### Inherited Lands of Indians Subjected to New Leasing Arrangements.

Muskogee, I. T., July 16.—The new regulations under which inherited lands in the five civilized tribes can be sold and the land of full bloods leased have been received by Indian Inspector J. George Wright.

There is intense interest in these regulations because it is estimated that it will make one-fourth of the allotted lands in the Indian Territory saleable and taxable.

There is no change in the manner of selling lands from the former method with the exception that the application for sale must be made by the identified heirs of the deceased allottee and the land listed for sale must be advertised in a newspaper in the nation in which the land lies. The lease provisions that have been effective in the Creek and Cherokee nations on mineral, oil and gas lands are made effective over all the other nations the Curtis act placed restrictions on all full blood lands and provided that the homestead of such Indians should neither be sold nor leased.

The new regulations make a provision that where it is shown that an allottee is unable to develop his homestead on account of infirmity or other cause he may lease the same for a period of 3 years for grazing purposes and for five years agricultural purposes, all leases to be approved by the secretary of interior, after the agent has been shown proof of the disability of the Indian to cultivate his own land profitably.

This regulation applies to all the nations but does not affect any valid existing leases. A great deal of the homestead land in the territory is under lease.

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## FRANCIS COMMERCIAL CLUB TELEGRAPH THE PRESIDENT

Francis, I. T., July 17.—The car of wheat in which the dead body of Harry Preister of Tulsa was found has been closely watched by the citizens and Commercial Club of this place. Up to Saturday no attempt was made by the railroad company to ship the wheat to its destination. The claim agent received instructions to dispose of the damaged wheat for seed wheat and forward the remainder of the load to its destination.

On Saturday morning it was noticed that the wheat was being transferred to another car and the Commercial club began to take steps to prevent its going forward and being unloaded upon the public, who knew nothing about the tragedy in the car.

When the corpse was found it was discovered by the blood that had percolated through the wheat and leaked out of the bottom of the car on the trucks and gearing, and the wheat, when examined, showed considerable damage from the blood and decayed body of the child.

The Commercial club, having no way of taking hold of the matter, sent the following telegram to President Roosevelt.

Francis, I. T., July 14.—Theodore

Roosevelt, President of the United States, Washington, D. C.: We the Commercial Club of Francis, I. T., expressing the wish of the citizens generally, beg and pray that you condemn and order destroyed a certain car of wheat now in this yard and being transferred to a car for shipping to destination. Said car was discovered to contain a dead human body in a state of decomposition, and drippings from same had saturated a great portion of the wheat. Without your aid the wheat will be made into flour. Letter with full details will follow.

Respectfully,  
Commercial Club, Francis, I. T.  
Per. J. O. McMinn, Secretary.

### Notice to Democrats.

Members of the Ada Democrat club are urged to meet at the Commissioner court room tonight at 8:30. Important business J. P. Wood, President.

### Notice to Knights of Pythias.

Tuesday evening July 17th officers will be installed and other important business transacted. Refreshments served All Sir Knights urged to be present 2td Committee.

## ROFF PREPARES FOR GREAT CONFEDERATE REUNION

At a meeting of the Commercial Club Confederate Veterans and citizens, held last Friday night, final arrangements were made for the Annual Reunion of the United Confederate Veterans of the Chickasaw nation at Roff next Thursday, Friday and Saturday, 19th, 20th and 21st.

The meeting was an enthusiastic one, every fellow getting his shoulder to the wheel. Liberal contributions were made, which will provide ample funds to make the three days one continual round of pleasure and insure that the affair will be a grand success.

The committee had done good work and since the meeting are still busier. Advertising committee has thoroughly covered the country with circulars and other literature and the people will be here. Committee on homes has done its duty and the visitors will be well cared for, the entertainment committee has completed a fine program which appears in the big ad on another page, and the thousands of people who attend will be royally entertained.

Such eloquent men as Hons. D. H. Linebaugh, C. A. Skeen, Claude Weaver, W. M. Franklin, Henry Furman, R. L. Williams, Drs. Fife and Saunders, are worth traveling many miles to hear. Fine music and big attractions, such as base ball, gun club shoot, camp fire tales, etc., will keep things lively.

On Saturday, the last day, there will be a big barbecue for everybody. This will be among the leading Territorial events for 1906.—Roff Eagle.

If you want the White Swan canned goods phone us M. L. Walsh. 95-1f

### LAND FOR A HOME.

#### Dr. D. M. Hailey Makes Magnificent Present to Daughters of Confederacy

At a meeting of the committees representing the Jeff-Lee Camp of the Veterans, the Memorial Association, the Stonewall Jackson Chapter and the Choctaw Chapter of the daughters of the Confederacy was held at McAlester, June 30, 1906.

Mrs. W. I. Culbertson, president of the Indian Territory division of the U. D. C., was formerly presented with ten acres of the ground and the buildings located thereon as a nucleus for the establishing of a confederate home for the Indian Territory. The presentation was made by Dr. D. M. Hailey in a nice little speech and a letter of transmittal was handed to the president.

### Notice Camp.

There will be a meeting of the Ada camp United Sons of Confederate Veterans, at the News building Wednesday evening at 6:30 o'clock for the purpose of opening membership rolls and to discuss the camps representation at the Brigade Reunion at Roff Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Jno. P. Crawford,  
Commandant.

Chas. H. Little,  
Adjutant.

J. R. Chandler and Prof. Primm, of Francis, are in the city today attending the session of the county executive committee.

## B. Y. P. U. ENCAMPMENT AT SULPHUR JULY 17-25

The Indian Territory B. Y. P. U. will hold their first annual encampment at Sulphur July 17th to 25th.

The Oklahoma B. Y. P. U. is the invited guest and an amalgamation of the two Associations is sure to occur.

The city of Sulphur has donated a large plat of land, well watered and shaded to the B. Y. P. U.'s of the New State if they will hold their annual encampments at Sulphur.—The proposition is surely to be accepted. A large delegation from throughout Oklahoma is expected. W. C. Duncan and W. H. Braley were empowered to appoint as many delegates as would consent to go.

Try the new barber shop at the Harris. If you are not pleased your money is refunded. 94-1f

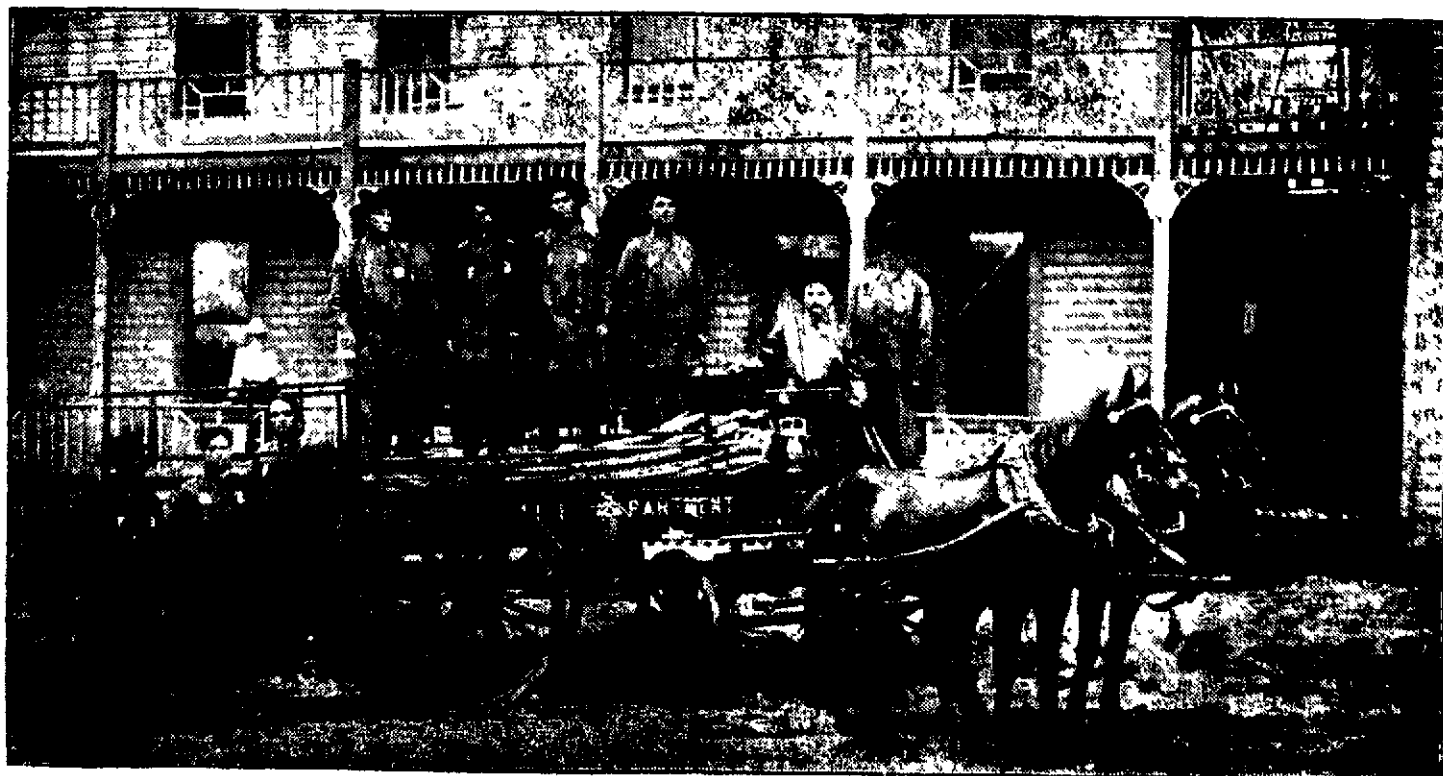
### THE WORLDS RICHEST MAN DEAD.

#### Alfred Beit of South Africa Claimed that Distinction.

London, July 16.—Alfred Beit, a South African financier and often called "the richest man in the world," died today.

He was born in Hamburg in 1853 and went to Africa when a youth. He was there when the diamonds were first discovered and became a diamond broker, later getting control of some of the best mines. Since that time he has become interested in nearly every large commercial enterprise in South Africa. He was never married.

Cupid flour, best on earth at Walsh's No. 17 95-1f



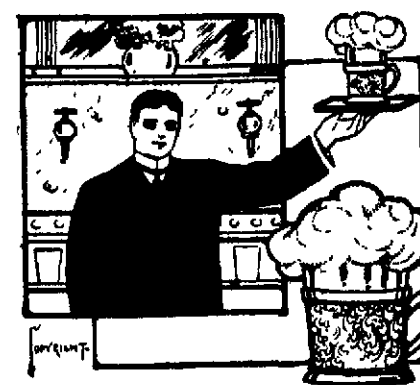
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## A Timely Suggestion

To Property Owners and Mortgagees:

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## OVERDRAFTS

It is becoming well known by business men that overdrafts, whether large or small, are not approved by the comptroller of the currency. The large central banks allow overdrafts only in a very small way, and this, it matters not how small, is not approved by the powers that be. This unbusinesslike habit of overdrafts grew out of advancing on moving products, such as cotton, grain and fat stock on the move. The overdraft system is wrong and the man whose account is always overdrawn is the man who spends more money than he makes and will finally have no bank account.

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## STRANGE SAVAGE CUSTOM

Weird Tribal Ceremony of the Natives of the Anglo-Abyssinian Boundary.

Some remarkable tribal customs are reported by an expedition sent into the comparatively unknown countries between the Abyssinian capital and the northwest of Lake Rudolf, in the neighborhood of the Anglo-Abyssinian boundary.

While the expedition was fitting out at Maji, the Abyssinian post in the southwest, the local Shakkalla king died. He was sewn up in a fresh hide bag in a sitting position and placed on the floor of his hut, which stood in a clearing in the forest, and from miles around his subjects came to the lying in state.

The ground of the clearing was of hard beaten clay. All round were thick rows of huge "gogo" palms, and on one side four spacious, well thatched huts and a curious mound, probably sacrificial. By the side of the huts thousands of cow bells, sweet in tone as those in a Swiss upland valley, were hung on rude trellises and swung backwards and forwards by bands of women under the direction of an old witch.

The hard, level flooring of the clearing shook under the feet of hundreds of naked warriors, chanting a wild song of death, now advancing in a rhythmic rush, now retreating and leaving two of their number in the open, who, with their 12-foot spears held horizontally just over their shoulders, the shafts quivering like a snake before it strikes, danced a wild war dance, keeping time to the chant of the chorus.

When the din grew louder the crowd surged round the dead king's hut, suddenly parted, and through the lane thus formed dashed a gleaming figure, adorned with a leopard skin, orange colored ostrich feathers, beads, and bands of copper and brass and ivory round his neck and arms.

Three times he rushed round the clearing, followed by the shouting, singing warriors, and then disappeared as quickly as he had come. The new king had been chosen.

## THE PILLAGER INDIANS.

Hereditary Home of a Tribe Who Trace Back Perhaps Twenty Centuries.

A long, deep, clear and very cold body of water called Brunside lake, north of Lake Superior near the Canadian boundary, contains, among over 100 other beautiful islands, a certain sunny islet that is of great interest to the archaeologist.

These islands and waters, writes Frank Abiel Flower, in Records of the Past, constitute the hereditary home of the Pillager Indians, who are pagans. One of these islands (known as Flower island) is, as it has been for generations, the seat of the Pillager kings. On it sleep, according to tribal tradition, over 50 successive Pillager rulers, the ancestors of the present chief or king, who, he says, must have reigned an average of 30 or 40 years each, as he himself has been chief for more than half a century.

Think of a dynasty extending over a period of perhaps 20 centuries! The more modern graves are carefully roofed with cedar bark, which, when kept dry and away from the earth, is almost imperishable. The very ancient graves have been essentially obliterated by the ravages of the elements. At the head of each of the trapezoidal graves is carved the peculiar heraldic insignia of the king who sleeps beneath, and above him are placed receptacles for the mah-no-min (wild rice), fish, berries and other food which are brought annually by the related members of the tribe to appease as they suppose, the hunger of the departed.

## Thrown Out.

"And you say you lost your position by the great earthquake in San Francisco?" inquired the kind lady.

"Yes, mum," replied Frayed Franklyn.

## What was your position?

"I wuz asleep in a barn at de time, mum."—Milwaukee Sentinel.

## MOTT'S PENNYROYAL PILLS

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## TIME CARD.

Ada, Ind. Ter.

## EAST BOUND TRAINS.

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No. 512 Eastern Exp., 9:45 a. m.  
No. 542 Local Freight, 8:45 p. m.

## WEST BOUND TRAINS.

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No. 511 Texas Pass, 7:15 p. m.  
No. 541 Local Freight, 7:45 a. m.

Local freight trains carry passengers provided with permits. Ten per cent saved on the purchase of round trip tickets.  
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## REVEALS CHARACTER

### PECULIARITIES OF SEX APPEAR IN FLAT-HUNTING.

Men Hate to Move When Once Settled—Women Expose Their Foibles in Making Selection.

"Here's where you have a chance to study human nature," says the superintendent of a Chicago apartment house, according to the Inter Ocean. "Why, I can tell as soon as I have gone over an apartment with a couple whether they live happily together."

"If they talk over the attractive corners and she tells where his reading lamp will go, and he says that is a nice corner for her tea table, they are pretty sure to be home folks."

"If he digs holes in the floor with his cane while she makes a quick survey of the rooms and orders repairs in a lifeless fashion, they are merely getting a shell of a home in which to hang the skeleton of their one-time domestic happiness."

"You learn to read women, too, in this business," he continues. "The woman who talks about the lovely flat she has and how she hates to leave it, but Henry is bound to come up town; who criticizes everything in the apartment and fairly sniffs the air for trouble, will make a nagging, fault finding tenant, and if I had my way I'd raise her rent."

"The woman who wears a stylish dress in the newest coloring and fabric, but whose shoes are run down at the heel, whose finger tops need manicuring and whose underskirts hang in tatters of embroidery below her skirts, is sure to be a sloppy housekeeper and ruin the fittings in the flat."

"References count for something, but not everything. A doubtful party always comes well armed with references, but when a woman and a man look at each other doubtfully and wonder whether they had best give the name of their uncle, or his employer, or their last landlord, I take heart and know they are not up to Chicago tricks."

"The bane of the apartment house superintendent is the Sunday rush. All through April we work early and late showing apartments on Sunday. On a pleasant Sunday we show perhaps 500 callers over apartments and rent possibly two. On a rainy Monday we have three callers and rent two apartments. Rainy day flat hunters mean business. "I do not believe any man would move if he had his own way. He would rather pay more rent, put in a gas stove if the steam heat is not all that it ought to be, sleep on a mattress stretched on the boards laid over the bathtub, if the flat is too small—anything rather than move. Moving has driven more than one well intentioned man to drink."

## GETTING CREW FOR WHALE.

Each Man Has to Be Rounded Up Times Without Number to Get Him Aboard.

In Harper's Magazine Clifford W. Ashley, the artist who recently made a trip in an old-fashioned whaler for the magazine, tells entertainingly of the difficulties of finally getting the crew together and aboard ship.

"Sunday morning, long before the church bells rung," says Mr. Ashley, "we were gathered in the darkened front of the store. I had stopped at the postoffice for my mail, and as I stepped out again into the bright sunshine of that August morning, a couple of sailors lumbered hastily by and lodged around the corner. As they were vanishing, one of the 'owners' appeared in the street, gazing up and down in a mystified manner, vainly seeking a glimpse of the runaways. When he saw me he hailed cheerfully. From the alley whence he had emerged, a series of derisive boots followed him, then a wagon-load of seamen appeared, being trundled off to the river. Swaying and pitching as the cart jolted over the cobbles, they boisterously spoke each passerby, making the street hideous with their yells. Before I entered the store I saw them, one by one, dropping off over the tail-board, utterly oblivious to the protests of the unfortunate fish goods clerk who was held responsible for their delivery."

"The front shop was crowded and noisy, but the real hubbub was in a small back room. Here the sailors, howling and pounding, were locked up when caught, and held till the return of the wagon to take them off to the river. Word was received that the mate refused to go on board till he had partaken of his Sunday dinner. On various pretexts others sought to get off for a while longer—one had forgotten to bid his mother good-bye; another had left home without an overcoat. The clerks rushed frantically about. Each man had to be rounded up—not once, but half a dozen times."

## Diplomatic Subject.

Italy's king recently paid a visit to Vesuvius. On the occasion of a previous visit an Italian newspaper announced that "the eruption had the honor of being witnessed by his majesty." It was a German paper that once stated that a certain royal prince "was graciously pleased to be born yesterday." Equally courtierlike was an army officer in attendance on the king of Spain not long ago. The king asked him what was the time. The courtier fumbled for his watch, but could not find it, then respectfully replied: "Whatever time your majesty chooses."

## THE LAWN AND LAWN MOWER

How to Keep the Mower in Good Order—Better to Mow Twice Than Once a Week.

The lawn mower is generally much abused by the majority of those who use it. When nicely adjusted and in good working order it may be kept so by a hair's breadth turn of the adjusting screws or bolts and no one should be allowed to meddle with these parts unless he fully understands them. The blades of the lawn mower strike the cutting bar in such a manner as to be largely self-sharpening and no machine, if well oiled and adjusted, will need sharpening unless it is run into stones or other hard substances that may dull or bend the knives.

The ordinary machine oil used upon larger machines than the lawn mower, on wagons, etc., is too heavy for the lawn mower except in very hot weather and should be thinned with an equal amount of kerosene. No machine will keep in perfect working order for a great length of time without cleaning and the lawn mower which is run through so much dust and dirt should be taken apart once or twice every season, each part carefully cleaned and wiped and then freshly oiled. The machines with large wheels and ball bearings run more easily than many of the older patterns, but the latter, if kept in perfect order, will run with comparative ease and will do good service for many years.

When the lawn clippings are short, not over an inch in length, they will settle down among the grass stems and decay, but if they are too long or are wet they will bunch and in very warm weather will smother the grass stalks and roots under them. In most cases it will require less time and effort to mow twice a week and let the clippings drop on the ground and remain there than to cut but once a week and rake up the clippings, as must often be done.—Chicago Chronicle.

## TIMELY FLORAL NOTES.

The Season for Various Favorites and the Commoner Flowers Not to Be Despised.

Oriental poppies, with very large and imposing peony-like flowers, make a brave show in the garden from the end of May through the first weeks of June. These will bear transplanting if carefully handled.

Foxgloves, white, spotted and pale lilac, are well worth a place in any garden. In the hardy border, where they are best placed, it is well to plant them back of sweet williams or else with peonies. They blossom at about the same time and the tall, graceful spikes of foxgloves rising above and behind the others produce a beautiful effect. Canterbury bells, having much the same habit as foxgloves, are grown in the same fashion; they are white, pink, blue and purple. Both are biennials; that is, start from the seed one year and blossom and die the next. They are much more effective grown in clumps.

Marigolds, both the double French and the double African, are apt to be treated with contumely during the reign of more delicate and beautiful summer flowers, but with what gratefulness we turn to them in October, when everything else is gone!

The new varieties of zinnias are by no means to be despised. They are fine in color, many new shades having been developed, are very double, and are fine for house decoration, the stems being long and stiff.

Ida D. Bennett says she has grown salvia splendens (scarlet sage) to a height of five feet, in a bed of marsh earth kept well supplied with water through a pipe. Salvia will do well in the hottest sun if well supplied with water.—Michigan Live Stock Journal.

## Saratoga Chips.

Wash and pare medium sized potatoes, slice very thin (I use a saw cutter for slicing), drop them into cold water as they are cut and let them remain there until they are very firm. Have a kettle on the stove about half full of lard. Lift potatoes out of the cold water and put into a clean, white cloth. Press them in this until they are quite dry; then drop them into the smoking hot lard. Let them fry a delicate brown. When done lift them out with a wire spoon. Sift salt over them as soon as they are taken out, while warm. To have them at their best, they should be used when first made. Damp weather will affect their crispness.

## Brown Bread.

One cup black molasses, one cup buttermilk, one cup water, one teaspoon each of salt, soda and baking powder, and one quart flour. The coarser the flour, the better. This will make one quart graham flour. This will fill three one-pound baking powder cans, when done. But divide the mixture equally in the cans—they will be about one-half full, and raise to the top. Be sure to put lids on and bake one hour in a moderate oven.

## Peanut Butter.

Peanut butter is easily made at home by passing the roasted and shelled nuts several times through the finest knives of a patent food grinder, the oil in the nut being quite sufficient to make the butter creamy. Should more be needed, add a little pure olive oil. Salt to taste and pack in small jars.

## Insect Bites.

For stings or bites from any kind of insect apply dampened salt, bound tightly over the spot. It will relieve and usually cure very quickly.

## PRECOCIOUS SENILITY.

Valuable Lives Snuffed Out in Youth and Middle Age by Disease of Age.

Precocious senility, when marked and rapid, is so rare as to be mere academic interest, a pathologic curiosity, such as the recorded instance of children of six years dying with arteriosclerosis and other signs of extreme age, says American Medicine. Even the very uncommon, but a much larger number of milder cases have so long been noted as to have given rise to the axiom that a man is as old as his arteries. These cases deserve more thought than is given to them, not so much to discover cures as to prevent decay, and save to society so many valuable lives which are now snuffed out in the middle age by diseases of the senile. There has been much wild speculation on the subject, chiefly in lay journals, and due, no doubt, to some more or less sensational investigations of Metchnikoff on the causes of normal senility and the possibility of prolonging human life beyond the century mark. Yet it is a serious problem and we should know what is the stimulus which makes one organism go through all its life changes in 50 years, while another under apparently identical conditions lasts 30 years longer.

## COLD IS A MINOR FACTOR

In Pneumonia the Huddling Together of People Is More Important.

Augustus Wadsworth declares that experience has shown cold to be a minor predisposing factor in the development of pneumonia. The huddling together of people in close quarters is of far more importance, says Medical Record.

The treatment of pneumonia in its present stage may be said to be either very easy or impossible. A careful prophylaxis against disturbances of the digestive tract is of the greatest importance. Many ways of attaining the same results present themselves and the choice in great measure rests with personal experience. The hope of definite results lies in the production of an efficient and specific antiserum.

It is known that poisonous substances are elaborated by the pneumococcus, but so far the production of an antitoxin corresponding to that used in diphtheria has not been obtained. Pneumonia, however, is the bacteremic disease and as yet in none of this type have satisfactory results been secured in relation to antiserum. The hope of success nevertheless is gradually growing brighter.

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## LOCAL NEWS

J. A. Baker returned to Roff today. Cupid flour at No. 17. Guaranteed the best. 95-tf

P. G. Lanham went to Ardmore today.

Miss Stella Blake is here from Denison, Tex.

Mr. Joe Sprague went to Oklahoma City Sunday.

Bob Cummings went to Roff and returned today.

Miss Callie Wardlow returned from Stonewall today.

Walsh handles the White Swan canned goods. Phone 17. 95-tf

Mr. Dortch Young made a flying trip to Roff this morning.

M. L. Walsh will furnish you with the White Swan brand. Phone 17. 95-tf

Satisfaction guaranteed or your whiskers back. Harris Hotel Barber shop. 94-tf

D. E. Price has gone to Oklahoma City on business and will be gone several days.

J. D. Looper and J. H. and J. S. Ray left today for a ten days stay in Portlan, N. M.

LOST:—A pair of 7 inch side cutting plyers. Return to telephone office and get reward. 99-3t

W. H. Kilpatrick sends the News to his father A. H. Kilpatrick at Mt. Vernon, Texas.

There will be a meeting of the Ada Democrat club at the Commissioners court room tonight at 8:30.

Mrs. T. M. Coleman and daughter Miss Geraldine, of Ardmore, are the guests of Mrs. H. M. Furman.

Mrs. S. E. Chapman and Miss Alice Harpur left today for a months visit in Sulphur Springs and other Texas points.

Mrs. Ruth Hutchenson, Mrs. H. M. Furman's mother accompanied by Master Henry Marshall Furman left today for Arlington, Texas.

Time and space forbid us giving a report of the revival service Monday evening but a full account of each service may be expected henceforth.

WANTED.—Two good hand ironers for ladies clothes, 12 1-2 cents per hour. Steady work. Apply at once. 95-2t

Mrs. J. W. Dale and sons left for Livingston and other Texas points where they will visit for a few weeks, then will join her husband at Amarillo.

Mrs. S. T. Rippey and daughter, Miss Lulu, who have been the guests of Rev. T. L. Rippey and family for several days left today for Earlsboro.

Editor W. D. Cardwell of the Ada Democrat was honored by the executive committee of the Democracy of Oklahoma by being elected chairman of the speaker bureau.

Col. Davenport once with the Ada postoffice, but now has a position as Railway mail clerk between Denison and Ft. Scott was mingling with friends in the city Monday evening

### Found After Two Years.

Francis, I. T., July 15.—A message was received here Saturday by Mrs. Chester Hardy that her husband, Chester Hardy, had died in St. Vincent's Institute in St. Louis and would be buried there today.

The family was under the impression that he had been dead for two years. He had been missing for two years and a body was found in the Arkansas River that filled his description

### Ladies of Honor.

Mrs. H. M. Furman of Ada and the Misses Floy Alvis and Alice Moore, popular young ladies of Ardmore, have been appointed chapeton, sponsor and chief maid of honor, respectively, for the Indian Territory division of the United Sons of Confederate Veterans to act in such capacity on the occasion of the territorial reunion of the Confederate Veterans and auxiliary organizations to be held at Ardmore on the 26-28 instances inclusive. The acceptance of these positions by the ladies noted reflects very creditably on the territory Sons' organization

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Jno. Ingram, of Stonewall to Nettie Jones, of Tupelo

Jno. Thorp to Alver Nik, both of Oakman.

J. W. Smith to Mrs. S. J. Mounger, both of Oakman.

C. C. Clark to Maud Fitzgerald, both of Ada.

W. B. Bennet to Bertha Orcutt, both of Ada

Levi Johnson to Adaline Blue, both of Stonewall.

N. H. Farguhar to Annie McGehee, both of Stonewall.

G. M. Stephenson to Maudie Sanders, both of Ada.

Den Dryden to Ottie McKnight, both of McGee.

Edgar Lawson to Lura Dew, both of Ada.

J. T. Elkins to Vera Keltner, both of Stonewall.

### Roff Reunion Attendants.

The Confederate Veterans request all who will attend the Chickasaw Brigade Reunion at Roff beginning Thursday to join with them on the arrival at Roff for the march to Ada headquarters.

Miss Mina Vaden, the popular daughter of Col J. W. Vaden of Roff will not serve as sponsor for the U. S. V. S's at the Brigade Reunion on account of the late death of her mother

The Chickasaw sons deeply sympathetic with Miss Vaden and her Honorable Father who is commandant of the Roff camp of Veterans

### At Judge Galbraith's.

Saturday evening a large number of friends were greeted at the delightful home of Judge and Mr. C. A. Galbraith on 14th street, in honor of Prof. and Mrs. Buchanan of Norman. The guests were received on the lawn, after which the Judge began the operation of his moving picture apparatus and the guests were delightedly entertained for an hour with Stereopticon views of Hawaiian Island scenes, at which place the Judge resided several years.

This feature of the evening's entertainment was both instructive and pleasant, a rare treat indeed to a social gathering

Delicious cream and cake were served on the lawn by Mesdames Galbraith and Ebey.

The several guests went away happy and wiser because of the splendid entertainment

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## WAYS OF COOKING EGGS.

A Wide Variety of Savory Dishes May Be Made with Eggs as a Foundation.

In the spring when eggs are plentiful a great many are used upon the farm. At this time eggs are more appetizing than at any other season of the year. Attention is called to this fact in a recent issue of Farm and Fireside by Mary Foster Snyder, who gives some recipes for preparing eggs in various ways. We are sure that many of these suggestions will appeal to readers:

Eggs on Fromage.—Melt one tablespoonful of butter in a saucepan and one scant cupful of rich grated cheese, mixed with six slightly beaten eggs, and stir constantly until the mixture is smooth and creamy. Season to taste with salt and paprika, and turn out immediately on rounds of toast softened with hot milk and melted butter. Serve at once.

Eggs with Dried Beef.—Chop fine one-half of a cupful of dried beef, and put it in a stewpan with one cupful of stewed tomatoes, a few drops of onion juice, paprika and cinnamon to taste, and two tablespoonfuls of butter. Cook slowly for ten minutes, add two tablespoonfuls of grated cheese, and three well-beaten eggs. Stir until the mixture begins to thicken, then pour over hot buttered toast, and garnish with hard-boiled eggs cut in slices.

Savory Eggs.—Break five eggs into a bowl, add a pinch of salt and a little chopped thyme; beat them well together. Rub a small stewpan with a cut onion, melt in it two tablespoonfuls of butter, then pour in the eggs and stir constantly until cooked, about four minutes. Turn out on hot buttered toast or little pats of hot potatoes, and serve at once.

Baked Eggs with Bread Crumbs.—Butter individual baking dishes, and for each person to be served mix together two tablespoonfuls each of rich, thick cream and bread crumbs, half a teaspoonful of minced parsley, a few drops of onion juice, and salt and paprika to season. Put one-half of the allowance for each person in each baking dish, break an egg carefully over it, and cover with the remainder of the mixture. When all are ready set them in a quick oven and bake until the eggs are set.

Poached Eggs a la Reine.—Cover hot buttered toast, made slightly moist with cream, with fried mushrooms. Put a poached egg on the mushrooms, and pour over all a little cream sauce. Sprinkle grated cheeses over the top and place in the oven until the cheese browns. Garnish with olives.

Egg Croquettes.—Chop hard-boiled eggs very fine. For six eggs make a cream sauce from one tablespoonful of butter, two tablespoonfuls of flour, one cupful of milk, a little onion juice, and salt and pepper to season. Mix it with the chopped eggs, and set away to cool. When cold form into six croquettes, egg and bread crumb, place in a frying basket and fry in deep hot fat.

### SUGGESTIONS FOR HOUSEWIFE

An excellent idea is to connect a spring to the refrigerator door, thus keeping it always cold, as children are often negligent in this regard

To clean gold jewelry with stones in it wash it in warm suds made with yellow soap with ten drops of sal volatile in them. You will find this makes the jewelry brilliant

Okra is a vegetable that is not appreciated at the north as it deserves. The dwarf varieties do well and okra is an invaluable addition to stewed tomatoes and to soup, should a housewife find it insipid by itself

When washing black stockings take care that fresh water be used, both for washing and rinsing, and thus avoid having the stockings covered with lint, which is sometimes the case when they are washed in the same water used for white cloth

Light cotton dress goods hold their color better when washed in this way: Four quarts of boiled starch are made. Half of this is put into two pailfuls of soft warm water and the goods washed until clean. Add water to the remaining half of the starch and rinse Dry and iron on the wrong side.

Here is a way to remove a grease spot, which answers excellently. First place a double thickness of blotting paper on an ironing board. Lay the material on this and sponge well with benzine. Now put two more thicknesses of blotting paper on top and iron with a moderately hot iron. Remember that benzine is inflammable, so don't do this near a fire or light, and see that your flattery isn't at scorching heat.

To a tidy housewife a gravel walk is often an annoyance. Unless it is continually looked after it will get untidy and then it does look so forlorn. In France the practical natives have invented a preparation with which they freely water gravel paths and roads and thus save much work and many a backache. Here is the rule for it: Ten gallons of water, 24 pounds of lime, two pounds of flour of sulphur. Boil all together in an iron kettle. When cold pour off the clear part and use on the walks, being very careful not to get any of the mixture on grass or flower beds.—Chicago Daily News.

### Scott's Works.

Of all the modern writers Sir Walter Scott has the largest place in that gigantic work, the British Museum catalogue. Scott has a larger number of entries under the name than any other author save Shakespeare, who has two volumes devoted exclusively to him.

## Some Bargains

### Shoes

Ladies' \$3.50 Shoes for - - - \$2.10

Ladies' \$3.00 Shoes for - - - \$1.80

All \$2.00 Shoes for \$1.20

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Slippers, \$1.00 value for - - - 60c

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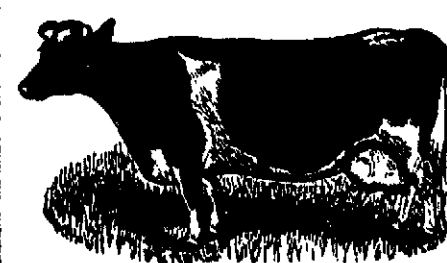
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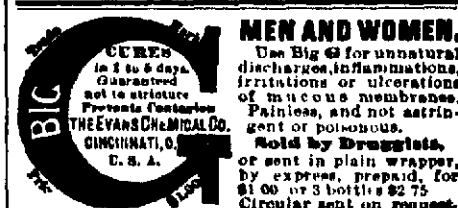
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Extra Rubbers for fruit jars, 5c dozen.

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Jelly Glasses with tin covers, 25c dozen.

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Lipped preserve kettles, wire bail or handle, 10c, 14c, 18c, 20c.

Pot covers, ringed, hemmed, full size, only 5c.

Stamped dish pans, 10c and 15c.

Combination nutmeg and vegetable grater, loop handle, only 9c.

Extra heavy dairy pails, 10 qt., 20c; 12 qt., 25c.

Japanese bread or cake boxes, cover fastens with a hasp. You will save enough bread or cake in a month to pay for one.

Galvanized pails make the best all around bucket, 10 qt., 15c; 12 qt., 20c.

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Rolling pins, 10c.

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Vegetable slicers, 10c.

Clothes pins, 3 doz 5c.

Tooth picks, 8 pkgs. 10c.

Cups and saucers, 50c values, a set 39c.

Dinner plates, 50c values, a set 35c.

8 inch platters, 15c values, each 10c.

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Fine American China cups and saucers, decorated, \$1.25 values, per set 75c.

Dinner sets of the same goods, a set 75c.

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K. C. baking powder, two 15 oz. cans for 25c.

2 oz. boxes Rag Blueing two boxes 5c.

Giant or Eagle Lye, 4 cans, 25c.

Silk Laundry soap, 8 cakes, 25c.

Wire fly traps, all metal, 15c.

Tanglefoot sticky fly paper, 2 double sheets 5c

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Solid flesh of many a weary woman may be truly reduced by daily practice. The waist and hips may be reduced at least three inches in as many months. As the waist muscles become stronger digestion is better and assimilated food goes to muscle instead of fat, thereby reducing the whole body.

Deep breathing also burns up fat. Place a pipe-stem in the mouth; breathe out through it until the lungs are completely empty, then inhale through the nostrils until the lungs are packed. If day after day be practiced, the lungs are surprised at the gratefully increased amount of air. They will get used to it.

Practice this exercise frequently, extremely frequently. It is simple and most excellent.

Stand in correct pose, weight on balls of feet, heels and knees together, abdomen drawn back, chest out, and head erect; while holding the breath bring the arms out sideways, and up over the head; clasp hands and stretch upward, gently at first. Relax arms and exhale. After a few days' practice the stretching may be vigorous, and the upper part of the body swayed from side to side. Repeat this movement until tired. It is valuable.

The practice is made more interesting by taking measurements at the beginning and at the end of each month's practice, and comparing the figures. While disrobed measure the waist, hips below the waist line five inches, and chest, both with lungs empty and with lungs full.

Also measure from the base of the neck to the waist line, both in front and in back, to see how much the chest line may be lengthened. The hips should not measure more than 12 inches more than the waist, or five inches more than the chest. The chest expansion probably will be about one inch. It should be at least three inches.

In addition to practicing the exercises, the student would do well to observe the following advice: For the first month avoid rich desserts, sweets and fattening vegetables, eat lean meats, fish, eggs, dry toast and fruits, except bananas. Exercise until perspiration is profuse. If these rules are faithfully followed for a month and the exercise practiced faithfully the pupil should be able to keep the body in good trim by exercise alone.

## ARTS OF THE TOILET.

To Remove Tan and Freckles—Keep Hands Soft and White—Good for a Muddy Skin.

To remove tan and freckles, nothing is better than a lotion composed of four ounces of witch hazel, four ounces of glycerine and the juice of two lemons. We are informed by a writer in *The Commoner*. Apply to the face, neck and hands after washing, and at night.

Permanent freckles are akin to moths, patches, and require both internal and external treatment. The internal treatment consists of something that will act on the liver and at the same time stimulate the circulation of the blood. For this purpose olive oil, taken in teaspoonful doses before breakfast and at bed time, is recommended as being excellent. The local treatment ordered by some specialists consists of drawing them to the surface and gradually peeling them off, or bleaching them out. The freckle spots lie under the lower layer of the skin, of which there are four. The outer is no thicker than tissue paper, and it is this skin which is raised in a blister. Thus it will be readily seen why freckles are so difficult to remove as the skin is stained through and through. Nearly all skin bleaches contain mercury (corrosive sublimate), which is an active mineral poison if taken internally, therefore the use of it is not recommended for careless hands.

Another whitener for the hands is composed of lemon juice, three ounces, white wine vinegar three ounces, white brandy one-half pint. Corn meal rubbed over the hands after washing is excellent. It should be used before wiping the hands.

For muddy skin, a good rule to observe is, when the tongue is coated or there are indications of a clogged internal condition, to stop eating, fasting a day or two at a time, or with only light food once a day. Instead of eating, drink copiously of pure water between meals. Several quarts a day is none too much to flood out the impurities. A sallow or pimpled skin is a lazy skin. Exercise should be taken to induce perspiration.

Use almond meal in place of soap for washing the hands, and the skin will not get dry and wrinkled, the soap takes out the natural oil.

### Cotillion Favors.

The advantage of having paper favors for a club dance or a cotillion is that they can be made at home for absolutely nothing, and if several girls worked on them they would make their dance most effective with little outlay for ornamental trifles that are the principal parts of such affairs.

### A Good Skin Food.

Take half a cup of pure mutton tallow. Add half a cup of pure almond oil. Heat together and beat with an egg beater as they are cooling. Put in just enough perfume to scent. This is not very cheap, but it is very good.

### Simple Cosmetic.

Take a cucumber, split it lengthwise, apply it to the skin and let the juice dry.

## MORE APPARENT HEIGHT.

May Be Obtained by Deep Breathing and System of Exercise for Reducing Superfluous Fat.

"As soon as you learn to breathe deeply all the time you will grow taller. As soon as you get into this habit of pulling a breath right from the bottom of your abdomen, you will grow stronger. As soon as you have acquired this peculiarity you will grow thinner. It exercises the muscles of the abdomen so thoroughly that they grow supple and able to throw off their fat. It is a cure for nearly every ill there is."

Then come the bending motions, for it is part of suppleness that one can bend double and lay one's hand upon the floor. Of course one should not bend the knees. The idea is to bend without bending the knees and to lay the finger tips upon the carpet. This is the best of all known exercises for making the muscles limber.

The most important exercise upon growing taller is the pole exercise. The pole must be a long one, and about as thick as your wrist. While it does not have to bear your weight, it must be stout enough not to break when your strength is thrown upon it.

The exercises are simple. The first one is that of touching the ends of the pole. Reach out with your fingertips and try to reach the tips of the pole. Have the pole so long that you cannot quite reach the ends. Then keep on trying to touch them. It broadens the shoulders and gives the arms the exercise they need for the second motion.

"The second pole motion is the real one when it comes to being higher. The pole is set on end, and the game is to reach up as high as possible. Try to touch the top. Don't climb the pole, but sit up and reach up. Keep on reaching up and up for five minutes.

The way to do it is this: Take a deep, long breath; grasp the pole firmly in the middle; then travel up, hand over hand, until you go as high as you can. When you have reached your limit, make a mark, and begin over again. The highest mark will record your progress for that day. Next day try again. But don't keep on for more than five minutes at a time, for it is easy to injure your muscles in this manner.

## PIANOFORTE FOR MEALS.

Affords Much More Protection Than a Mere Bib and How to Make the Little Apron.

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## AT A HOUSE WEDDING.

Arrangement of the Receiving Party, Usually No Special Form of Entertainment Provided.

At a house wedding the bride's mother should stand near the main entrance to the drawing room and receive the guests as they enter the room. The guests who wish to remove any wraps should be told where the dressing room is by the servant, who opens the front door. After removing their wraps they should at once descend to the drawing room, directs Elizabeth Biddle.

As a rule guests are not seated at a house wedding. The near relatives and intimate friends of the bride couple should stand on either side of the room near the place where the marriage ceremony is to take place. It you are to have ushers they should escort the guests to their places in the room, taking care that the members of the family are near the bridal party.

After the ceremony the guests are expected to look at the presents, if they are displayed, and to partake of the refreshments in the dining-room. The bride's father should remain in the drawing room until they have received the congratulations of all the guests, after which they may go to the dining-room.

The bride's father and mother should introduce their friends to the mother and father of the groom, but no special form of entertainment is expected.

### The Proper Card.

A woman's card has her street address, without town or state. If visiting friends in a distant city one may write the transient address in lower corner of card.

### For Freckles.

Use a weak lotion of lemon juice and water followed by an application of cold cream. Cucumber lotion is also a good thing to use.

## TABLE DECORATIONS.

Tall Vases Are No Longer Liked for Center Decoration—Some Pretty Flower Combinations.

Tall vases full of flowers are not used in the center of the dining table nowadays because they obstruct the view, and make conversation across the table almost impossible. The graceful baskets, with or without handle, which are brought in silver, glass, china or even straw, make beautiful centerpieces. Purple and pale yellow make a cool and beautiful combination of colors. Lilac combined with huge bunches of very pale blue forget-me-nots make an odd but attractive decoration, and sweet peas of all shades with maiden-hair or asparagus ferns are always attractive.

At a dinner you should use lighted candles. Very beautiful shades are now made as follows: A design of flowers or of leaves is worked in beads the natural color of the flower or leaves. Each flower or leaf is then cut out and fastened on a little wire frame, so as to form a graceful design which entirely covers the frame; at the top is fastened a row of large cut glass beads of the principal shade of the flowers or leaves; and at the bottom is fastened a row of deep fringe made of small beads of the same color. Very pretty little shades are made of row after row of narrow gauze ribbon sewed on a piece of gauze the size and shape of the candle shade frame. Fruit is often served as a first course even at dinner instead of hors d'oeuvres. A very little soup should be put in each plate. Fish should be served next, then an entree. Two entrees may be served if you wish. Then the roast and vegetables. Then game and salad, and last of all, the dessert—which comprises ices, then fruit and bonbons. Coffee ends the repast.

## CHILDREN'S CLOTHES.

Simple Dresses Both for Afternoon and Morning—Are Preferred Ones of the Day.

Common sense has entered the domain of baby's outfit and for summer every well-dressed child will have a quantity of dresses and aprons which will not need a fine laundress to do them justice. Both afternoon and morning dresses are severely plain, but the simplicity of cut is relieved by the pretty material and the care with which these small garments are fashioned. Smocking, a pretty honeycomb effect, is much in vogue now for children's clothes. As smocking is delightful fancy work for odd moments, many of baby's dresses are made by mamma in the long afternoons on the hotel piazza.

Next in importance to the smocked novelties are the Russian effects, both for boys and girls. Some of these Russian suits seem rather extraordinary to the conservative taste and the genuine Russian dress, with its patch of colored material under the arm, can only be worn by the picturesque child, and looks out of place on the up-to-date modern youngster. The Russian one-piece dress is very practical however, as it is easily laundered and can be made up of almost any material. Elaborated with fantastic needlework, pretty gimpes and bands of different colors it is charming.

A little girl's Russian dress shows wide tucks, falling from the shoulder to the hem of the garment. The dress is shaped slightly to the figure in the side seams, so that it does not look too bulky or full.

A correct Russian dress for girls has no belt, but the addition of a belt usually gives a smarter look to the frock.

## THE PALE GRAY NOTE.

The Parisians Are Making Use of Some Very Soft Harmonies of Tone This Season.

The present feeling in Paris for touches of pale gray is prettily carried out in a charming pale, dull, melon-green afternoon gown, which is much self-manipulated and gathered, and trimmed with a quaint garniture and pipings of pale gray velours, very sparingly and lightly used, so as not to create a heavy effect. Worn with a pale gray, very fine chip hat, with a green veil draping it, and a cluster of green and gray velvet clematis Jackmann, this makes a delightful dress. It is accompanied by a shaped pelerine of green taffetas mousseline, exactly matching in tone, also decorated with gray velvet in many narrow rows, and fashioned to resemble those worn in the forties.

Another very delightful frock, with the same gray touch, is a very pale buff silk muslin, embroidered in old-world style with gray silk, and owning a little gray silk waistcoat and stock collar.

### Room Cool and Fragrant.

A woman who has traveled in India suggests that one of the dearest ways of keeping a room cool in summer is by hanging curtains of an eastern grass which is now procurable here in the windows. These curtains are drenched in moist. The air passing through the moist grass is not only cooled but also slightly perfumed with an oriental odor which is peculiarly refreshing. In lieu of the grass a piece of flannel dipped and wrung out of cold water may be hung over the window screen.

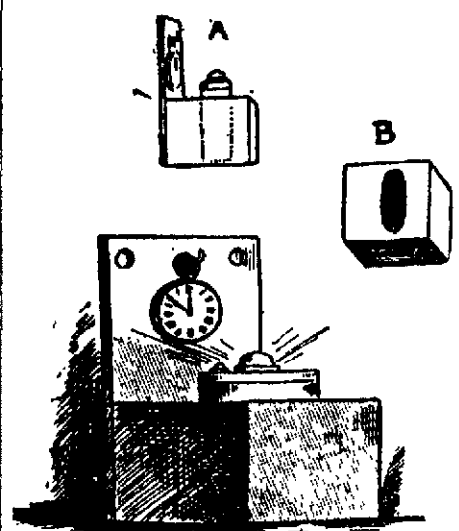
### A Second Call.

There is no fixed rule for the length of time that should elapse before paying a call for the second time, after the first one has been returned. Often an invitation of some kind, to tea, for instance, is given by the person who called first.

## CONVENIENT WATCH STAND

One of the Little Electric Lamps Forms Part of the Outfit—A Cigar Box the Stand.

This useful contrivance is easily made with the aid of a small wooden box and one of those little electric lamps that can now be obtained in many shops for a small sum. It is intended for use at night, and should be placed at some convenient spot within reach of the bedside, or hung on the wall by the side of the bed. Plenty of material for its construction will be found in an ordinary cigar-box, which should be cut down to the required size. The lid should then be milled down, and a hole made in it to receive the lamp. Fig. A



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shows a side view, and B is the box tilted forward and showing the space into which the lamp is slipped. At the back a piece of wood is firmly glued on, and in this two little holes are made for nails to go through when it is required for hanging on the wall. In the center is a small brass hook, on which the watch hangs, and all that is necessary to see the time in the night is to press the button of the lamp. If this useful article is kept in place where we are able to lay our hands on it in the dark, it saves all the trouble of striking matches when we wish to know the time in the night, to say nothing of any risk it may save us from fire.

It can be ornamented in many ways, but perhaps one of the most simple is to well sandpaper the wood and stain it a nice dark green, and the front part of the upper portion, against which the watch hangs, may be covered with a small square of velvet.

## HOUSEWORK AND HEALTH.

Washing Windows, for Instance, Good for Muscles, Steadies the Nerves and Highly Recommended.

"Do your own housework. If you want out of door air, get out and wash the windows. Window washing is to my mind a fine piece of arm work. The windows are never muddy, so there is no excuse that it is dirty work. A chamber, a cloth, and a pail of fresh water are about all that is needed. And then just think of the beneficial effects."

"Window washing gives you just the amount of outdoor air you need. The window is open and you get the benefit of the hot house air rushing to the outside. The air is far from biting, even on the coldest days; in summer time it is positively bewitching. Meanwhile you are exercising your arms and breathing deeply from the exercise."

"Window washing is good for the nerves. It teaches them to be steady. As you stand in the ledge—which you can do after a little practice—or as you sit leaning far out, you learn to control your nerves and muscles. You grow steadier in your head and more accustomed to keeping yourself in check."

"Again, I consider window washing good for the mind. I once had an insane patient who was absolutely cured by the simple occupation of cleaning the windows of the house in which she was kept. A society woman, with nothing in the world to do, she lost her mind upon a sudden shock. Nothing would interest or divert her. Once in a wild moment a nurse gave her a cloth and told her to wash the windows. She did as she was told and worked industriously an hour. The next day she took it up again. Within three or four days she began to grow quieter, then more rational; and within a month we sent her home cured. The work steadied her nerves and occupied her mind. I could say more in favor of this helpful branch of fresh air work, but this suffices."

## A CASE FOR WAISTS.

For the Delicate Blouse a Case Should Be Provided, Need Not Be Expensive.

To keep the delicate waists of dainty summer frocks or of evening gowns unsoiled and in good condition the summer girl is making cases in which to pack them. There should be one for each gown.

They are made like the pillow slip for the baby's crib or carriage, having the opening midway across the back to be buttoned or tied together when once the waist is slipped in. Of pretty flowered muslin, any of which can be bought for 10 or 15 cents a yard, lined with soft china silk or muslin in a solid color and bound with soft satin ribbon of a harmonizing shade, they are among the most practical and acceptable offerings one girl may make another.

Some sweet sachet powder, the odor best liked by the girl who is to make use of the case, is sprinkled between the outside and the lining.

## SUMMER DIVERSIONS

SOME ENTERTAINMENTS ONLY POSSIBLE IN WARM WEATHER.

A Most Aesthetic Daisy Luncheon—Decorations and Refreshments for a Lawn Party—A Morning Wedding.

### A Daisy Luncheon.

Now is the season for a daisy luncheon. These most satisfactory of nowers are blooming in quantities in the country and outskirts of town, and may be had for the plucking. Their lasting quality makes them especially adaptable for decorative purposes. Bank the mantels, fireplaces and corners of the room with them; brown earthenware crocks and jars are fine receptacles for this purpose. Facsimile daisies may be made from cardboard and water colors for place cards, or two or three natural ones may be thrust through a plain white card; the lettering done in gold is effective. A charming centerpiece is made by filling a low glass dish or yellow jar with sand and then planting the daisies and make garlands of them to drop to the corners of the table from the chandelier. The candle sticks should be white, candles of yellow, with shades of yellow trimmed with artificial marguerites. This makes the prettiest table imaginable.

The menu can be kept nearly all white and yellow; if grape fruit is not procurable, oranges may be served in the same way, or white cherries dipped in powdered sugar; cream of celery soup with the yolk of hard boiled egg grated over the top; sweet breads with new potatoes, green peas in yellow ranunculus or pastry shells with tiny carrot straws, hot biscuit, a fruit salad in banana skin boats, and orange ice with individual sunshine cake. Provide a knot of daisies for each guest, and in this day of the popular "all white" gown, it is most likely that the guests will complete the color scheme by appearing in white costumes.

A correspondent asks for a description of a lawn party, how to decorate, what to serve, etc.

There is nothing that will make a lawn party so pretty as quantities of Chinese lanterns, and there cannot be too many used. Then if without much expense the grounds could be wired with electric lights, they will make a veritable fairy land glimmering in the trees. The colored bulbs are very effective. Have plenty of rugs scattered about, with seats, a fern decorated table with a frappe or fruit lemonade, a tent or canvas awning for the serving of light refreshments, a platform for dancing, with a stringed orchestra or three or five pieces, will afford the requisites for a most delightful party.

A bride-elect, wishes to know what to serve at a 12 o'clock wedding luncheon; if paper or linen napkins should be used and what the duties of a ring bearer are.

In the first place, if this bride wishes to be strictly up-to-date she should call the repast served at noon a "breakfast," and not a "luncheon;" the hour for the latter is from one until two.

An acceptable menu for this season of the year would be a cold mixture of all the fruits obtainable, with a sugar syrup and served in tall glasses; then breasts of chicken or sweetbreads, potatoes, creamed new peas or asparagus tips on toast, a salad of cherries, the pits replaced by hazel nuts served on white hearts of head lettuce; an ice or cream, wedding cake and French coffee.

Use linen napkins; paper ones are only permissible at picnics, on the porch and at public affairs of an informal nature.

The ring bearer immediately precedes the bride, carrying the ring upon a silver tray or a small lace-covered pillow; at a recent wedding the circles were carried on the long golden stamens of a large calla lily by a tiny white-dressed page, and the idea was a lovely one.

MADAME MERRI.

## DISORDERED DIGESTION.

Simple Diet and Active Exercise Best Means of Keeping Vital Organs in Proper Condition.

Much of the sensitiveness of the body to changes in outside temperature comes from disordered digestion. Inward congestion, due to clogged, torpid bowels, produces a sense of chilliness; and the same condition causes one more readily to succumb to the heat of summer. Simple diet and active exercise, keeping all the vital organs free to perform their functions, will enable one to enjoy the cold of winter, and to be fresh and hearty in midsummer's fiercest heat.

Whoever reflects will be able to see the truthfulness of these words of Thoreau: "It is the vice of the last season which compels us to arm ourselves for the next. If man always conformed to Nature, he would not have to defend himself against her, but find her his constant nurse and friend, as do plants and quadrupeds." He himself was a proof of this statement.

Invitations for Dinner. Except for a formal dinner, invitations written in the third person are out of date. Personal notes are sent ten days or so in advance and mention is made of cards or any other amusement will take place after dinner. For a formal dinner invitation the engraved card is generally used and mention is made if cards or any other amusement is to take place.

## A SMART LINEN DRESS.

This Is a Very Modish Summer Frock, Made with Tucking and Trimmed with Embroidery.

A pretty shade of forget-me-not blue linen makes up smartly in this style. The skirt has a narrow front breadth continued into the shaped piece that forms the lower part of skirt; this is laid over the upper part of skirt and is stitched.

The bodice has a yoke of open-work embroidery which forms a point in the center front; it is edged with a narrow



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plaited trim. The linen is finely tucked each side where it joins the yoke, and is arranged in one large box-plait in the center, which is ornamented with buttons.

The sleeves are tucked at the lower part into a deep pointed cuff of embroidery; this is finished with three frills of hem-stitched cambric.

The hat is of fine white straw, trimmed with pale blue spotted ribbon.

Material required for the dress: Twelve yards 30 inches wide, five-eighths yard piece embroidered 27 inches wide for yoke and cuffs.

## HOW TO REST THE EYES

Take Three Five-Minute Rests a Day for Sake of Beauty and Good of Eyes.

"Few people know how to rest the eyes. My grandmother, dear old soul, had a way of closing her eyes and rocking herself to sleep. It is good, but not as good as it might be."

"Better turn your chair away from the light; close your eyes gradually, rest your arms in your lap, get your mind working along pleasant channels, and so rest the orbs. My eyes look 100 per cent. better since I learned how to rest them."

"Resting your eyes means that they will not give out as soon as eyes that are never rested. Rest them three times a day, taking five minutes for each resting spell. It will repay you."

"Rested eyes do not have crows' feet around them; rested eyes do not have that faded look; rested eyes never lose their brightness; rested eyes do not squint."

"I make it a practice to read with my left side to the light. If I cannot do this, I turn the other side lightward. I never read facing the light. "If you want your eyes to look like the eyes of a girl of nine don't read on a moving train; don't read when there is dust blowing; don't read in a dim light, and try not to read more than a few minutes at a time by artificial light."

"Take bright daylight for your reading. Or, if you must read at night, don't read long at a time. Stop and rest your eye muscles."

## HOW TO WASH THE FACE.

Use Plenty of Water and the Hands Rather Than the Corner of a Wash Cloth.

If a woman wants a pretty face she must wash it; not wipe her face and neck with the corner of a wash cloth and then dry it with a towel. Have a pure vegetable oil soap and plenty of warm water. Use the hands and plenty of soap for the face and neck; a bowl full of warm water and two of cold; a soft towel to dry the skin. Take a wash towel, crush or chesee cloth are good, and finish the bath. Any cloth that is used for the bath should be regularly laundered, and a toilet belonging should be kept sweet and clean. After each using, all cloths or towels should be well washed out, rinsed and hung in the sunshine, if possible. Rain-water is the very best water to use for any bath; when rain water can not be had, use the bran bag for softening the water. This is merely a cheese cloth bag of suitable size filled with wheat bran, and can be made at home. Let it soak in the water a little while before using.

### Form of Introduction.

When introducing a man to your sister you may say to her: "Mary, I want to introduce Mr. Jones," or it would be allowable to say, informally, "Mr. Jones, I want you to know my sister." It is not correct nor is it necessary to mention the family name as he knows it, and it is against all propriety to speak of one's sister as "Miss Brown."

### A Dark Neck.

There is nothing better than to bind slices of raw cucumber on the neck at night; wash off in the morning with warm water and a little soap, and rinse; dry well and apply the cucumber cold cream several times a day.